

the catholic community of
OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL



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Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



**“HE IS NOT GOD OF THE DEAD,
BUT OF THE LIVING,
FOR TO HIM ALL ARE ALIVE.”**

Luke 20:38



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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.

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, November 6th
 Luke 20:27-38

“Some Sadducees, those who deny that there is a resurrection, came forward. . . Jesus said to them, “That the dead will rise even Moses made known in the passage about the bush, when he called out “Lord,” the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob; and he is not God of the dead, but of the living, for to him all are alive.”

“Our faith tells us that death is not the end. That faith allows us to live courageously in the face of suffering and despair. We live on because God, Jesus tells us, ‘is not God of the dead, but of the living, for to him all are alive.’ We do not live on because we are forever held in the world’s memory. We live on because we are forever held in God’s infinite memory.”

SOURCE: *Pastoral Patterns*, Autumn 2022

**DAILY READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday Titus 1:1-9; Luke 17:1-6

Tuesday Titus 2:1-8, 11-14; Luke 17:7-10

Wednesday Ezekiel 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; 1 Corinthians 3:9c-11, 16-17;
 John 2:13-22

The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica (Feast) – “The cathedral church of Rome (the pope’s local parish as bishop of Rome) was dedicated by Pope Sylvester I in 324. Originally called the Most Holy Savior, it is called St. John Lateran because it was built on property donated by the Laterani family and its baptistry is named after St. John. It is ‘the mother and head of all churches of the city and the world.’”

Thursday Philemon 7-20; Luke 17:20-25

Saint Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church (Memorial) – “As pope, Leo the Great was known for his peacekeeping efforts, in particular for his encounter with Attila the Hun, whom he persuaded not to plunder Rome. His writings include pastoral sermons on faith and charity and on the incarnation.”

Friday 2 John 4-9; Luke 17:26-37

Saint Martin of Tours, Bishop (Memorial) – “As bishop of Tours [France], he worked ceaselessly to spread the faith. An excellent administrator, he invented the division of dioceses into parishes.”

Saturday 3 John 5-8; Luke 18:1-8

Saint Josaphat, Bishop and Martyr (Memorial) – “John Kuncewicz was born in present-day Ukraine. Upon entering the Order of St. Basil, he chose the name Josaphat. Ordained a priest of the Byzantine rite and archbishop of Polotsk, Russia, he worked for the renewal of the diocese and for the union of the Ukrainian Church with Rome. He was slain by his opponents. Josaphat became the first Eastern saint to be formally canonized, in 1867.”

SOURCE: *Living With Christ*, November 2022

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, NOVEMBER 7th

8:30 All Souls Novena

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8th

8:30 All Souls Novena

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 9th

8:30 All Souls Novena

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 10th

8:30 All Souls Novena

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 11th

8:30 Ann Marie Loughlin
Requested by The Mosca Family

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 12th

8:30 Tess Turner
Requested by Her Sister, Marge Graizzaro

5:00 Manuel Villarosa
Requested by The Villarosa Family

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13th

8:00 Arthur & Monica Schrank
Requested by Their Family

10:00 Bienvenida Biron
Requested by Her Family

12:00 Parishioners of Our Lady of Mount Carmel



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 |
| Brian Bingman | Charles Machaka |
| Dave Clemens | Dikeledi Machaka |
| Stephanie Conti | Catherine Marchiona |
| Tom Cooke | June Miller |
| Cathy Correrri | Aaron Monteagudo |
| Richard Correrri | Joseph Pae |
| Sr. Pat Coyle | Henriette Paternayan |
| Sereno Danese | Alexander Pavur |
| Denise de Almeida | Anastasia Pavur |
| Rachel Durso | Jacob Rivera |
| Patricia Eboli | Jaxson Rivera |
| Deacon Lex Ferraiuola | John Salvatore |
| Wanda Ferraiuola | Vita Santulli |
| Cynthia Fineza | Eufrocina Sarreal Paredes |
| Judy Gegel | Jason Scalora |
| Terri Giovannone | Kathleen Selinka Dragon |
| Edwin Grube | Betty Supple |
| Amy Hartwell | Dominic Tavormina |
| Evie Imahiyerobo | Jeanny Torres |
| Michael Kashmer | Gabriella Tranchina |
| Jeffery Kellish | Liza Ty Beasca |
| Adam Kokosinski | Rosario Ugarte |
| Patricia Lefevere | |



Please contact the Church Office at 201-568-0545 if you would like a loved one's name placed on our prayer list. Also, please let us know if a loved one's name is to be removed from the prayer list.

THE BREAD AND WINE

This week the Bread and Wine are in memory of Don Miller requested by Mike and Arlene Prelee.



THE SANCTUARY LAMP

This week the Sanctuary Lamp is in memory of Ernesto Castro requested by Elphina and Krystal.



REST IN PEACE

Please remember in your prayers
Laura Buda, Anna Hajjar (mother of Dr. John Hajjar),
Anthony Pasquarelli (father of Heather Hubbard),
and all the military men and women
who have died this week.



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

2023 Mass Intentions, Bread & Wine, Sanctuary Lamp

Please visit the Church Office to request to have a Mass offered for your chosen intention or to sponsor the Bread and Wine or Sanctuary Lamp with a special intention for the week.



HALL OF FAME

The Sixth Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony

Saturday, November 19, 2022

7:00 PM - 11:30 PM

Knickerbocker Country Club, 188 Knickerbocker Road, Tenafly



ANNOUNCING THE 2022 RECIPIENTS OF THE LUMEN CHRISTI AWARD

Deacon Michael Giuliano and Mary Beth Giuliano



The Lumen Christi Award, Latin for “the light of Christ,” is given to those individuals and couples who not only serve the community of Our Lady of Mount Carmel by shining a light into their world, but share that light in a variety of ways by worshiping and praying with us as members of our church.

There doesn't seem to be an aspect of Our Lady of Mount Carmel's many and varied ministries that the Giuliano family seemingly hasn't been a part of. Whether it was as active parents when their children attended Our Lady of Mount Carmel School or being an essential part of both the Men's and Women's Cornerstone retreats and prayer groups, Deacon Michael and Mary Beth know the importance of serving, but it was Deacon Michael's call to the diaconate when their service went from ubiquitous to essential.

“I always felt a pull [to become a deacon], even though clearly the priesthood wasn't a serious consideration, because I felt the pull to the vocation of marriage,” says Deacon Michael, who has celebrated over 30 years of marriage with his wife and co-inductee, Mary Beth.

The diaconate is a very intense, years-long discernment and education process that involves both the person studying to become a deacon and his wife—essentially their committed lives together become public in their shared service.

Mary Beth and Deacon Michael have five grown children. They know what it is like to create a faith-filled home, and for them, OLMC feels just like that. Mary Beth likes to share a story: When a health scare caused deep concern for Mary Beth, she knew she couldn't reach out to her husband who was working in the city. So, instead of calling an ambulance, she called OLMC's Church Office, where the church staff got her the help she needed.

That is how seamless their parish and home connection is!

Professionally, Deacon Michael is also Dr. Michael A. Giuliano, a neonatologist and educator with privileges in several local hospitals. Mary Beth, too, is very active in the medical field. She has worked as a nurse recruiter and talent acquisition specialist, among other jobs. How perfect that these two have done just as much for the health of our parish as the individuals they serve professionally!

Now it is the community's turn to show how important the Giuliano family is to Our Lady of Mount Carmel parish!



For information on OLMC’s music program, or to join the Our Lady of Mount Carmel Choir or our seasonal Children’s Choir open to boys and girls in grades 2–8 please contact our Director of Music, Andrea Covais at acovais@olmc.us.

Archdiocese of Newark Special Mass

Family Mass for Child Loss – Sacred Heart Church, 76 Broad Street, Bloomfield – **Saturday, November 5th at 10 AM**. Celebrants are Rev. Paul Houlis and Rev. Joseph Kwiatkowski. Mass is followed by a breakfast reception in Msgr. Burke Hall. Speakers are Hope Ministry, Emmaus Ministry, “Witness on Child Loss,” Family Life Team. Please RSVP to john.kalinowski@rcan.org or call 973-497-4327. Sponsored by Office for Family Life Ministry of the Archdiocese of Newark. Parking and accessible entrance is via 12 State Street.

Cathedral Basilica Concert Series . . .

‘Requiem’ by Maurice Duruflé – Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart, 89 Ridge Street, Newark – **Sunday, November 6th at 3 PM**. A Memorial Concert in Honor of the Faithfully Departed featuring the Cathedral Choir, Soloists and Orchestra. John J. Miller, conductor and Kristin Dabaghian, organ. At 2:20 PM, Anita Foley will offer a brief pre-concert lecture to the bereaved, “The Future Does Have a Name, and Its Name is Hope.” – Pope Francis. No admission charge.

BSA Scout Troop ROCKET LAUNCH

Calling Families with K-5 Kids: Who wants to have FUN outside and learn some COOL stuff?? Come November 13th, 12–3 PM to the Tenafly High School field. Lunch provided!!

Info/sign up here→



Contact info – Armadagl@gmail.com or call 201-655-0043.

SAINT PROFILE



Saint Leo the Great

With apparent strong conviction of the importance of the Bishop of Rome in the Church, and of the Church as the ongoing sign of Christ’s presence in the world, Leo the Great displayed endless dedication as pope. Elected in 440, he worked tirelessly as “Peter’s successor,” guiding his fellow bishops as “equals in the episcopacy and infirmities.”

Leo is known as one of the best administrative popes of the ancient Church. His work branched into four main areas, indicative of his notion of the pope’s total responsibility for the flock of Christ. He worked at length to control the heresies of Pelagianism—overemphasizing human freedom—Manichaeism—seeing everything material as evil—and others, placing demands on their followers so as to secure true Christian beliefs.

A second major area of his concern was doctrinal controversy in the Church in the East, to which he responded with a classic letter setting down the Church’s teaching on the two natures of Christ. With strong faith, he also led the defense of Rome against barbarian attack, taking the role of peacemaker.

In these three areas, Leo’s work has been highly regarded. His growth to sainthood has its basis in the spiritual depth with which he approached the pastoral care of his people, which was the fourth focus of his work. He is known for his spiritually profound sermons. Leo had the ability to reach the everyday needs and interests of his people. One of his sermons is used in the Office of Readings on Christmas.

It is said of Leo that his true significance rests in his doctrinal insistence on the mysteries of Christ and the Church and in the supernatural charisms of the spiritual life given to humanity in Christ and in his Body, the Church. Leo held firmly that everything he did and said as pope for the administration of the Church represented Christ, the head of the Mystical Body, and Saint Peter, in whose place Leo acted.

Reflection

At a time when there is widespread criticism of Church structures, we also hear criticism that bishops and priests—indeed, all of us—are too preoccupied with administration of temporal matters. Pope Leo is an example of a great administrator who used his talents where spirit and structure are inseparably combined: doctrine, peace, and pastoral care.



“Dear Lord – Today we honor our veterans, worthy men and women who gave their best when they were called upon to serve and protect their country.

We pray that you will bless them for their unselfish service in the continual struggle to preserve our freedoms, our safety, and our country’s heritage, for all of us.

Bless them abundantly for the hardships they faced, for the sacrifices they made, for their many different contributions to America’s victories over tyranny and oppression.

We respect them, we thank them, we honor them, we are proud of them. We pray that you will watch over these special people and bless them with peace and happiness.”

By Joanna Fuchs (Prayer credit: Actionministries.net)

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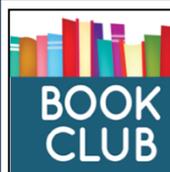
Please see page 9 for information on OLMC Academy’s Veterans Day Mass and ceremony.



Pope Francis’s Prayer Intention for November

Children Who Suffer

We pray for children who are suffering, especially those that are homeless, orphans, and victims of war. May they be guaranteed access to education and the opportunity to experience family affection.



MOUNT CARMEL BOOK CLUB

Facilitated by Elliot Guerra

Our Next Meeting:

Tuesday, November 8th

9:15 AM & 7:30 PM

Titus Room/Conference Room



Interested in joining?

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

Congratulations to the following couples on their weddings at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church.



September 24, 2022

Michelle Lauren Koles

Joseph Salvatore Grieco, Jr.



October 8, 2022

Toni Marie Luciano

James Ross Gallo

Wishes for a life filled with a spirit of love and respect, kindness and generosity, patience and forgiveness.

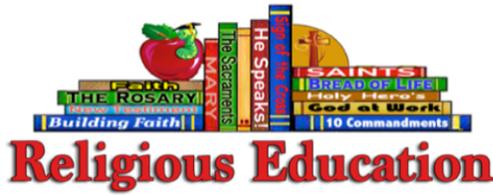


Family Promise Walk-in Dinner

The OLMC community joins together to feed Bergen County’s most vulnerable citizens through the Family Promise Walk-in Dinner Program. **The next service date is Monday, November 14th.** If interested in donating cooked food or pre-packaged desserts, or preparing food in OLMC’s kitchen, please contact Elliot Guerra at guerra@academyolmc.org.

MEN’S CORNERSTONE

Men’s Cornerstone meetings provide prayer, friendship and support in a faith-filled environment. We meet every other Wednesday at St. Mary’s Church, 20 Legion Place, Closter at 7:30 PM. **The next meeting is November 16th.** Please call Deacon Michael Giuliano at 201-983-1591, if interested.



Religious Education

Continuous Religious Instruction For The Faith Development Of Your Child

The Religious Education Program is a curriculum of **continuous** religious instruction for students. Attendance at each grade level is important in order to establish a firm foundation in the faith, build upon it at each grade level, and prepare for the Sacraments. Visit our website www.olmc.us, click on 'LEARN', then 'Religious Education' to register.



Religious Education Classes Are In Session!

Class Schedule

Sunday, November 6 th	(8:45-9:55 AM)
Tuesday, November 8 th	(3:30-4:45 PM)
Sunday, November 13 th	(8:45-9:55 AM)
Tuesday, November 15 th	(3:30-4:45 PM)



Sacrament of Confirmation

Are you registered? If your child is in ninth grade and intends to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation this school year, please be sure to register for this sacrament. Registration can be done online at www.olmc.us. Go to 'SACRAMENTS' and then 'Confirmation.'

**CONFIRMATION SESSION
THIS SUNDAY, November 6th
9:00 A.M. in the Auditorium**

Please enter the building via the north parking lot and take the stairs or elevator down to the lower level to the Auditorium.

Sessions are for Confirmation candidates only. Candidates are required to attend all sessions. Sessions begin at 9:00 A.M. and end at 10:00 A.M.

Making time for your child's faith formation is possible. Families are busier than ever. That's why it's important to review your priorities.

>Think about the values you want to instill in your child (for example, honesty and respect). Then, think about your child's activities. How do they support the development of these values?

>Cut back on unneeded activities. For example, limit time spent watching TV or playing video games.

>Use a calendar or daily planner to block out time for faith formation classes, worship services, other church activities, and family faith-building.



SOURCE: *Being Involved In Your Child's Faith Formation*, ©2010 Channing Bete Company, Inc., 2017 Edition

Sacrament of First Reconciliation

Children in second grade are getting ready to prepare to receive the sacrament of First Reconciliation. Be sure to register your child for this sacrament! A sacrament registration form was mailed to families with a child who is to receive First Reconciliation and First Eucharist this school year.

**FIRST RECONCILIATION
PARENT MEETING
THURSDAY, November 10th
11 A.M. & 7 P.M. in the Church**

Parents will receive important information and preparation material to use with their child to prepare for this sacrament.



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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HOMEWORK CLUB

Academy students . . . Need help with your homework? Just want to do your homework in a quiet, friendly place? Then the Homework Club is the place for you! Come join us!

**Academy of OLMC Students
Grades Kindergarten through Grade 8**

**Tuesday through Thursday
3:00 P.M. – 4:00 P.M.**

**Choose the days you want to come.
Cost: \$12/day
(billed monthly through FACTS)**

Please reach out to Ms. Gerlach at sgerlach@academyolmc.org.

VETERANS DAY MASS & CEREMONY

On Friday, November 11th we will be honoring our Veterans and all those who are currently serving with a special Veterans Day ceremony which will take place after our monthly Mass. All families are invited to join us for Mass at 1:00 p.m. and then participate in our ceremony immediately following.

TURKEY DRIVE

To support the efforts of the Office of Concern Food Pantry this Thanksgiving, **donations of frozen turkeys are being accepted on Monday, November 21st**. If you would like to donate a frozen turkey, please bring it with you when you drop off your child to school in the morning **on November 21st**. Someone will be available to pick it up from your vehicle. Thank you for your generosity!



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OFFICE OF CONCERN FOOD PANTRY AT ST. CECILIA CHURCH THANKSGIVING FOOD COLLECTION

For over 40 years, the volunteers at the **Office of Concern Food Pantry** have been assisting families in Bergen County with weekly supplemental food, currently serving nearly 700 families living below the federal poverty level. They are expecting over 800 families to look for support this Thanksgiving.

The Office of Concern is now gearing up for their annual Thanksgiving food collection. Donations of specific holiday foods such as cranberry sauce, gravy, dried potatoes, canned yams, stuffing mix, rice, canned vegetables and canned fruit are needed. Foods that are needed year-round include pasta, canned foods and beverages, and breakfast cereals. Donations can be dropped off in the elevator lobby at any time.

The Thanksgiving collection of frozen turkeys will take place before and after all Masses on Saturday, November 19th and Sunday, November 20th.



“May our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father, who has loved us and given us everlasting encouragement and good hope through his grace, encourage your hearts and strengthen them in every good deed and word.” 2 Thessalonians 2:16-17

“There are two important lessons here. First, we are called to be generous with our encouragement and hope. As God shows us mercy, we must be merciful to others. Second, joy is contagious! The joy we receive from doing good works not only strengthens us, it encourages others as well. Share the joy of living your faith whenever you can.”

Give
THANKS
WITH A GRATEFUL
HEART *1 Thessalonians. 5:18*