

the catholic community of  
**OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL**



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Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



# **Behold, the Lamb of God**

## Staff Directory

**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**

“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.”

**New Parishioner? Welcome!**

Feel free to contact anyone on our staff regarding the parish and its activities. We ask that every family in the parish be registered. Registration packets can be picked up in the Church Office or register online at [www.olmc.us](http://www.olmc.us).

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*Thank you for your donation towards the flowers that decorated our church this Christmas season.*

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 Frank Biscaldi  
 Mary & Jim Higgins  
 The Buchanan Family  
 All Deceased Members of The Byrne & Farrell Families  
 Sadie Lohman, Fred Lohman, Robert Lohman  
 Our Son, John Thomas Cooke  
 Catherine Danese Leahy  
 Dustin Joseph Drapkin, Donald Guy Drapkin, Helen T. Bobal, Joseph F. Bobal  
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David Chen  
 The Basilo Family  
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 The Moscone & Escobar Families  
 In Thanksgiving  
 Health for All, Peace, Departed Souls

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# LITURGICAL

## MASSES FOR THE WEEK



### MONDAY, JANUARY 16<sup>th</sup>

8:30 Anna Durkin req. Her Niece, Marianne Reilly

### TUESDAY, JANUARY 17<sup>th</sup>

8:30 Marilyn Vos req. Richard & Linda Hubschman

### WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 18<sup>th</sup>

8:30 Vaughn Harper req. Judy Giordano

### THURSDAY, JANUARY 19<sup>th</sup>

8:30 Patrick White req. The Johns Family

### FRIDAY, JANUARY 20<sup>th</sup>

8:30 John Preolo req. Mike & Arlene Prelee

### SATURDAY, JANUARY 21<sup>st</sup>

8:30 Thomas Kinsey req. Emma Looby & Family

5:00 John Preolo req. His Family

### SUNDAY, JANUARY 22<sup>nd</sup>

8:00 Loretta Maher req. Her Children

10:00 Parishioners of Our Lady of Mount Carmel

12:00 Peter Amicucci req. Women's Cornerstone

## MINISTERS FOR JANUARY 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup>

### 5 PM

Servers – Ryan Tarabokija, Enzo Capano, Eliza Thek

Lector – Chuck Martini

Eucharistic Ministers – Jennifer Schippert,  
Kate Sullivan, Steven Schippert, Bob Toro

### 8 AM

Servers – William Reiser, Dahlia Cousineau,  
John Mauro

Lector – Susan Semler

Eucharistic Ministers – Marianne Reilly,  
Alida Kratnoff, Diane Bruno, Brenda Brunelle

### 10 AM

Servers – Jillian Mihalio, Colin Liau,  
Chenelle Castor, Sofia Ferreira

Lector – Brad Moyer

Eucharistic Ministers – Fran Mladjenovic,  
Karyn Glover, John Barrett, Carol Cooke

### 12 NOON

Servers – Justin Del Valle, Matthew Del Valle,  
Isabella Aberde

Lector – Ted Del Valle

Eucharistic Ministers – Marc Votto, Joan Kroese,  
Janet Doll, Marta Perez

### THE BREAD AND WINE

This week the Bread and Wine  
are in memory of Andrew Loman  
requested by Carrie Schurmann and Andrew Lubienski.



### THE SANCTUARY LAMP

This week the Sanctuary Lamp  
is in memory of Jane White  
requested by Pat and Rich White.



### REST IN PEACE

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

## CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

This Sunday is a Family Mass at 10 AM. There is  
no Children's Liturgy of the Word. CLOW  
resumes next Sunday, January 22<sup>nd</sup>.

### NEXT WEEK'S SCHEDULE

#### Promise (Grades PreK – K)

Jennifer Schippert

#### Good News (Grades 1 & 2)

Patti Flynn

#### Venture (Grades 3, 4 & 5)

John Sullivan

# RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

**Classes are in session this Sunday, 1/15  
and on Tuesday, 1/17.**



**Next Week's Class Schedule:**

Sunday, 1/22, Grades K-8, 8:45 – 9:55 AM  
Tuesday, 1/24, Grades K-8, 3:30 – 4:45 PM



**The Sacrament of First Reconciliation will be celebrated on Saturday, January 21, 2017.**

Children whose last name begins with A through H are scheduled for the 11 AM service. Children whose last name begins with I through Z are scheduled for the 1:30 PM service. Please advise the Religious Education Office if you need to switch your First Reconciliation time.

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**Contrition, Confession, and Satisfaction:  
The Three Acts Needed for a Good Confession**

**Contrition:** Regret for sins committed and the resolution not to do them again. This involves an examination of our conscience.

**Confession:** Confessing our sins to a priest opens us to reconciliation. We look at our sins and take responsibility for them.

**Satisfaction:** Most of our sins injure others and we need to repair the harm. Our sins also have a negative effect on our own souls. The penance we receive from the priest is meant to offer a step towards our self-improvement.

Source: *OurSundayVisitor*



**Attention Confirmation Candidates!**

Confirmation preparation sessions have begun. Sessions are held from 11 AM to 12:30 PM in the Parish Auditorium. Please enter the building via the North Parking Lot (Hillside Avenue side); proceed to the Auditorium via the stairs or elevator. See you there!

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**Schedule of Remaining Sessions:**

January 29<sup>th</sup>, February 5<sup>th</sup>, March 12<sup>th</sup>,  
April 30<sup>th</sup>, May 7<sup>th</sup>



**COMMUNITY OUTREACH**

**FRIENDS**

**FUN!!**

**YOUTH MINISTRY**

Youth Ministry prepared over 2,000 sandwiches for Eva's Village from September 17 through December 4, 2016!!

**JOIN US TODAY!!** All high school students are invited to become involved in our parish's various activities. Meetings are held Sunday afternoons at 1:30 in the Parish Auditorium. Contact Justin Fernandez at [youthminister@olmc.us](mailto:youthminister@olmc.us) to find out more!

# ACADEMY/ATHLETICS



## FIRST QUARTER HONORS



Paramus Catholic High School and the Academy of Our Lady of Mount Carmel congratulate the following Academy alumni in achieving First Quarter Honors:

Dylan Luther  
Mackenzie Mortensen



### Immaculate Conception

33 Cottage Place, Montclair  
973-744-7445, ext. 24 or [www.ichspride.org](http://www.ichspride.org)  
Wednesday, January 18<sup>th</sup>, 2017, 6:00 p.m.  
Tuesday, January 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017, 9:00 a.m.



### GIFT CARDS MAKE GREAT VALENTINE'S DAY GIFTS!!

**SUPERMARKET GIFT CARDS** to Stop & Shop, Acme, Whole Foods, Kings and Shop Rite are available for purchase after the 10 AM Mass on Sundays in the Narthex Office and during regular school hours Monday through Friday in the Academy Office.

Also available in the Academy Office only are **GIFT CARDS** to Bed Bath & Beyond, Macy's, Starbucks and Bath & BodyWorks.



## THE ODYSSEY THEATRE

### The Word is God: The 2016 - 2017 Season

*Coming up beginning  
next month...*

#### The Winter Comedy

Elliot Guerra's  
*Afterlife*  
February 10<sup>th</sup>/12<sup>th</sup>

#### The Spring Play

Tim Wright's  
*A Thousand and One Nights*  
April 28<sup>th</sup>

#### The Whitefriars, OLMC's Shakespeare Travel Club

William Shakespeare's  
*The Tempest*  
Variety of Dates – Spring 2017

#### The Talent Show

*The OLMC Cabaret*  
May 19<sup>th</sup>

# WEEKLY RUNDOWN



*Please keep the following people  
in your prayers:*

Bernadette Alvarado	Rumi Kubo
Brian Bingman	Patricia McGlade
Maria Capo	Vito Moncello
Pat Carrier	Kay Raphael
Rachel Durso	Anthony Salvatore
Peter Gagne	Nicholas Tolliver
Lucas Harashima	Helen Trembicki
Marty Hynekamp	Giselle Velez
Adam Kokosinski	Kathleen Warguska

*"The LORD is near to all who call to Him,  
who call to Him with sincerity."  
Psalm 145:18*

## AN INVITATION TO A NEW YEAR'S GATHERING FOR PEACE

St. Peter the Apostle Church in River Edge is hosting a special presentation by the Reverend John Dear, Nobel Peace Prize nominee, and internationally known voice for peace and nonviolence, **this Sunday, January 15, 2017 from 3:00 to 5:00 PM.** Entitled "God's Way of Nonviolence in a Violent World," the presentation will be followed by questions and discussion, as well as by prayer and fellowship. In this time of escalating world violence, we invite you to explore the feasibility of another way to peace.

St. Peter the Apostle Church | 445 Fifth Avenue • River Edge  
201-261-3366

## "Unity Is the Work of the Spirit

When we are the ones who try to create diversity and close ourselves up in what makes us different and other, we bring division. When we are the ones who want to build unity in accordance with our human plans, we end up creating uniformity, standardization. But if instead we let ourselves be guided by the Spirit, richness, variety, and diversity never become a source of conflict, because he impels us to experience variety within the communion of the Church."

Source:

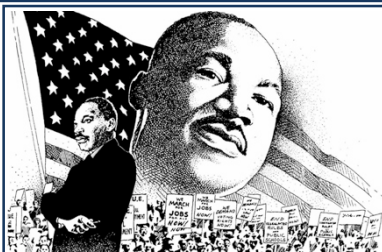
*Pope Francis Speaks to Our Hearts: Words of Challenge and Hope.*  
Frederick: The Word Among Us Press, 2013. Print.

## DON BOSCO PREP HOSTS 7<sup>TH</sup> COLLEGIATE A CAPPELLA SING-OFF

Don Bosco Prep presents its seventh collegiate *A Cappella* Sing-Off concert on Saturday evening, February 4<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 PM at the school's DeSales Hall Auditorium. Seven a cappella groups will sing off.

Tickets are \$15 and may be purchased in advance. To download a ticket order form, go to [www.donboscoprep.com/NEWS and EVENTS/ Chapel Concert Series](http://www.donboscoprep.com/NEWS%20and%20EVENTS/Chapel%20Concert%20Series). For more info, contact Toni Bilotti Cecere at [tcecere@donboscoprep.com](mailto:tcecere@donboscoprep.com) or call 201-327-6457.

Don Bosco Prep | 492 N. Franklin Turnpike, Ramsey



The Church and Academy Offices will be **CLOSED** on **Monday, January 16<sup>th</sup>** in observance of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

*"Peace is not merely a distant goal that we seek, but a means by which we arrive at that goal."* – Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

# WEEKLY RUNDOWN

## DAILY READINGS FOR THE WEEK

*"In the beginning was the Word,  
and the Word was with God, and the Word was God."*

John 1:1

<b>Monday</b>	Heb 5:1-10; Mark 2:18-22
<b>Tuesday</b>	Heb 6:10-20; Mark 2:23-28
<b>Wednesday</b>	Heb 7:1-3,15-17; Mark 3:1-6
<b>Thursday</b>	Heb 7:25 – 8:6; Mark 3:7-12
<b>Friday</b>	Heb 8:6-13; Mark 3:13-19
<b>Saturday</b>	Heb 9:2-3,11-14; Mark 3:20-21



## BIBLE STUDY

**January 29, 2017**

Led by Elliot Guerra

Bring your questions and opinions to this four-part series exploring salvation history! You can attend one part of the series or as many as you would like! We'll be meeting after the 8 AM Mass/before the 10 AM Mass in the Conference Room on January 29<sup>th</sup>, February 26<sup>th</sup>, March 26<sup>th</sup> and April 30<sup>th</sup>. Free coffee and breakfast treats! For more information, please contact Elliot at [eguerra@academyolmc.org](mailto:eguerra@academyolmc.org).

## Are You Being Called to Spiritual Direction?



Spiritual Direction encourages us to explore a closer relationship with God. In the midst of a busy life, many of us find it difficult to notice God's action in our daily affairs. Yet, at the deepest level, all of us long for a more conscious experience of God's presence and love. It's really not about being *directed*. Rather, it is very much about being *encouraged* to draw closer to God.

Spiritual Direction is carried out in the context of a one-to-one trusting and confidential relationship. The spiritual director is trained to be a guide who journeys with you and listens to your story with an ear for the movement of the Holy Spirit.

If you think that Spiritual Direction might be a way for you to discern God's actions in your life, contact Deacon Lex at [deaconlex@gmail.com](mailto:deaconlex@gmail.com) or call 201-568-6819.

**ADULT SPIRITUALITY SHARING GROUP** meets every Tuesday from 1 PM to 2 PM in the School Conference Room for reflection, sharing and prayer. Contact Deacon Lex at [deaconlex@gmail.com](mailto:deaconlex@gmail.com) or 201-568-6819 for more info.

**WOMEN'S SHARING GROUP** is reading and discussing the book "Hidden Women of the Gospels" by Kathy Coffey. We'll be meeting on January 25<sup>th</sup>. Please call Sr. Regina at 201-871-4662 for more information about this group or to join.

**MEN'S CORNERSTONE GROUP** meets every other Wednesday at 7:30 PM at St. Mary's Church in Closter. We will be meeting on January 24<sup>th</sup>. Please call Deacon Michael Giuliano at 201-983-1591 or Bill Angresano at 201-370-2698 if you have any questions.

**YOUTH GROUP** meets every Sunday afternoon at 1:30 PM in the Parish Auditorium. Please see page 5 of this bulletin for more details.



# WEEKLY RUNDOWN



## Family Promise Walk-In Dinner Program

in honor of  
Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

**January 16, 2017**

Interested in donating a homemade meatloaf,  
mashed potatoes, vegetable or dessert?  
Or serving the meal at the kitchen?

Email Elliot at [eguerra@academyolmc.org](mailto:eguerra@academyolmc.org)

Join with fellow parishioners for a  
parish-wide service project.

**Saturday, January 21, 2017**

**11:30 AM – 2:00 PM**

**at the Community FoodBank of  
New Jersey in Hillside, NJ**

Must sign up by January 14<sup>th</sup> online at  
[www.olmc.us](http://www.olmc.us) or contact Elliot at  
[eguerra@academyolmc.org](mailto:eguerra@academyolmc.org).

Ages 12 and older.



Our vision is a world  
where every human life is  
valued and protected

January 27, 2017 | Washington, D.C.

January 22<sup>nd</sup> marks the forty-fourth anniversary of Roe v. Wade (1973), the Supreme Court decision that legalized abortion-on-demand. Please pray that the deadly scourge set off by that decision will some day be lifted, and that proper care will finally be provided both to mothers and their babies. On January 27<sup>th</sup> the annual March for Life will take place in Washington, D.C. If you wish to join it, call Cheryl Riley at 973-497-4350.

**MASS FOR LIFE**

January 22, 2017 • 12 Noon – 1 PM

Basilica of the Sacred Heart  
89 Ridge Street, Newark

## SERVICE OPPORTUNITY! JANUARY 22, 2017

Join us in making sandwiches and cards for some of our most vulnerable neighbors living in Eva's Village in Paterson. This is a great opportunity for families with young children to serve together! For more information or to sign up, please email Elliot at [eguerra@academyolmc.org](mailto:eguerra@academyolmc.org).

*“Charity is born of the call of a God who continues to knock on our door, the door of all people, to invite us to love, to compassion, to service of one another.”*

– Pope Francis

## GIVING & GRATITUDE



*Thank You from fr. Dan. . .*

Dear Brothers and Sisters of Our Lady of Mount Carmel,

I want to thank you for your very generous support of our parish on the Feast of Christmas and at the end of the calendar year 2016. There are three specifics for which we should all be grateful:

- We received \$54,821 for Christmas.
- We received \$14,989 for Sunday, December 25 in the Sunday envelopes and via Faith Direct.
- We received \$45,000 in year-end restricted gifts for upcoming facility upgrades (especially the south parking lot) and for the Medical Mission.

In other words, you have been phenomenally generous to our parish again this year. Many, many thanks and may God bless us in our endeavors to carry forward the mission of Jesus here in Tenafly.

Sincerely yours in Christ and Our Lady of Mount Carmel,

fr. Dan

[doneill@carmelnet.org](mailto:doneill@carmelnet.org)

### *A note of thanks from the Office of Concern at St. Cecilia, Englewood...*

The parishioners of Mount Carmel and the parents of our school continue their generous support of the Office of Concern Food Pantry at St. Cecilia. The total amount donated for the year 2016 was \$38,447. This consisted of cash totaling \$12,480, supermarket gift cards totaling \$8,225, and in kind items worth an estimated retail value of \$17,742.

Sincere thanks and a blessed new year to all,

Frank Tarsney

***“You will be enriched in every way so that you can be generous on every occasion, and through us your generosity will result in thanksgiving to God.”***