

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church

120 Prospect Street, Nutley, New Jersey 07110

March 26, 2023

A Journey  Through Lent



Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Pray for Us

5th Sunday of Lent

Rev. Paciano A. Barbieto, S.T.L.
Pastor

Deacon Aldo Antola
Retired Deacon

Sr. Mary Rose Conforto, MPF
Director of Religious Education

Andres Cardona

Director of Music Ministry

Amanda Andrade

Parish Administrative Assistant

Mass Schedule



Monday-Friday: 8:00 a.m.

Saturday Morning: 8:00 a.m.

Saturday, 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9:15 a.m., 10:45 a.m. & 12:15 p.m.

Filipino Mass ~ Third Sunday of the month: 5:00 p.m.

Holy Days: As Announced

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Weekdays after the 8:00 a.m. Mass

Saturday: 2:00 p.m.

Devotions

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Novena: Wednesday
following the 8:00 a.m. Mass

First Friday Adoration: following the 8:00 a.m. Mass

Mission Statement

Our mission as a holy parish is to communicate and to celebrate the life and spirit of Jesus by our words and actions in order to build a dynamic, loving, caring and outreaching community of faith.

Rectory Hours

Monday-Friday: 9:00 a.m. to
4:00 p.m. during

*The rectory is closed between
12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.*

Rectory Phone Numbers

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Website

www.olmc-nutley.org

Marriages

Please schedule at least ONE YEAR in advance of your wedding. Pre-Cana and other instruction sessions are required.

Sacraments of Healing

Please notify the parish office if someone is ill at home.

Baptisms

We request parents attend a Baptism Instruction Session before the birth of their child. The Sacrament of Baptism is usually celebrated the third Sunday of each month, except during Lent (when we will not celebrate the sacrament until Easter). All Baptisms are scheduled in person at the rectory.

Parish Membership

All are welcome to join our Parish Family. Parish policy requires registration to participate in Baptism, Marriage and Religion Classes. Please notify the office when a change of address or move occurs.

Mass Intentions

Saturday	March 25
8:00 a.m.	Esther Belleza
5:00 p.m.	Martha Roche ~ <i>10 Year Death Anniversary</i>
Sunday	March 26
7:30 a.m.	Fernando Salvador
9:15 a.m.	Matthew E. Melito and James A. Murray Jr.
10:45 a.m.	Teresa Chieu Le, Guise Thuoc Nguyen and Damiah Chien Vu
12:15 p.m.	Jason Portugal and Family ~ <i>Living</i>
Monday	March 27
8:00 a.m.	Dominic Alessio
Tuesday	March 28
8:00 a.m.	Hope Meireles ~ <i>Living Birthday Celebration</i>
Wednesday	March 29
8:00 a.m.	Ed Palomo ~ <i>3 Year Death Anniversary</i>
Thursday	March 30
8:00 a.m.	Andrea Cerdan ~ <i>Living Birthday Celebration</i>
Friday	March 31
8:00 a.m.	Jean Gilroy
Saturday	April 1
8:00 a.m.	Aries Nano
5:00 p.m.	Linda Fischer
Sunday	April 2
7:30 a.m.	Fernando Salvador
9:15 a.m.	Iniego and Paulina Gonzales
10:45 a.m.	Normand Michaud
12:15 p.m.	Dan Spera

Prayers for Health Reasons

Delfina Alessio, Frank Alvarenga, Ariel Andrade, Caren Angrisano, Melissa Benimeo, George Berkovich, Dorothy Bogacz, Charles Brunquell, Jesse Bruno, Eleanor Brush, Erlinda Cajigas, Rose Marie Candiloro, Rudolfo Clavecilla, Ronald Cozzarelli, Marion Dellanno, Ana Marie de Vera, Donald Di Benedetto, Joshua Di Costanzo, Richard Dinzes, Veronica Duff, Melanie Entena, Anna Marie Ferrante, Connie Garcia, Robert Griffin, Patricia Holevas, Justin, Carol Kaufman, Robert Krupinski, Lucille, Victoria Magalong, Rodrigo Magalong, Peter Maioriello, Cynthia McDevitt, Melanie McGowan, Eve McKay, Madeline Micael, Lawrence Miller, Carmela Moeller, Frances Nawolski, Karen Ann Niles, Jack Nitz, Raffaella Notari, Karen P., Robert Palmer, Maria A. Penaranda, Evelyn Perry, Rosalie Petracca, Vincent Petracco, Anthony Petrillo, Simpmicia Ramirez, Richard Reidy, Albert Reyes, Jocelyn Reyes, Marie Rispoli, Jaxson Rivera, Robert D. Roberto, Roberto N. Roberto, Joanne Sacchetti, Josephine Senek, Damaso (Jun) Serrano, Susan, Margaret Strawn, John Tiseo, Mariana Toledo, James Tressito, Margarita Ufret, Diana Vaicels, Gina Villaggio, Eileen Wohler, Dominick Zungri, Ramona Zungri

Mass Intentions

Masses are available for the 2023 year. Also, come to the rectory to: Make an offering in honor or in memory of a loved one for The Sanctuary Light, Bread and Wine or Church Flowers.

If you need to visit or call the rectory **on Mondays** and **it is not an emergency**, we would sincerely appreciate your consideration and assistance in **delaying your visit or call until after 11:30 a.m.** *Thank You!*

Baptism Information

If you are expectant parents, please arrange to attend our Baptismal Instruction Program before the birth of your child. Baptismal Instruction and Baptisms must be scheduled in person, at the rectory. The next Baptism is **April 16**. Please visit our website to read guidelines for Godparents and for a complete Baptismal Schedule.



March 19: \$5,469 Catholic Relief: \$1,277
As you give to the Lord, may He bless you in return.

The **Sanctuary Light** honoring the Eucharistic Presence of Our Lord in the Tabernacle is lit in Honor and Memory of
Raef Alhazim

The **Bread and Wine** offering this week is in Birthday Celebration of
Ariel Andrade

2023 Lenten Schedule

Sunday, April 2: Palm Sunday

Masses: 5:00 p.m. (Saturday, April 1)
7:30, 9:15, 10:45 a.m., and 12:15 p.m.

Thursday, April 6: Holy Thursday

Morning Prayer: 8:00 a.m.

Mass of the Lord's Supper: 7:00 p.m.

Friday, April 7: Passion of the Lord Good Friday

Morning Prayer: 8:00 a.m.

(Seven Last Words): 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Liturgy of the Word, Veneration of the Cross and
Holy Communion: 3:00 p.m.

Stations of the Cross: 7:00 p.m.

Knights of Columbus Vigil: 7:30 p.m. – 1:00 a.m.

Saturday, April 8: Holy Saturday

Morning Prayer: 8:00 a.m.

Food Blessing: 1:00 p.m.

Easter Vigil: 8:00 p.m.

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

Procession: 5:00 a.m. – 6:30 a.m.

Masses: 7:30, 9:15, 10:45 a.m. and 12:15 p.m.

*Please note: The rectory is closed on Holy
Thursday, Good Friday and Easter Monday.*

Washing of the feet will be held this year.

Morning Prayer and Food Blessing

We invite all who worship with us to join in celebrating these special Holy Week Services:

- ❖ On Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Holy Saturday mornings we invite you to join us for **Morning Prayer at 8:00 a.m.**
- ❖ On Holy Thursday, we invite everyone to celebrate the Mass of the Lord's Supper.

On Holy Saturday afternoon, come as we bless Easter Foods at **1:00 p.m.**

At a Glance ...

March 28

Lenten Penance Service: 7:00 p.m. Holy Family Church

March 31

Stations of the Cross ~ 7:00 p.m. Praying of the Rosary at 6:30 p.m.

April 1/2

Second Collection ~ Parish Assessment

April 8

No Confessions

TWO PILGRIMAGES WITH FR. ALEX BARBIETO

1- Our Lady of Guadalupe in Mexico City June 9-12, 2023. Visit the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe, the Church of Santiago Tlatelolco, La Capilla Del Cerrito, San Juan Teotihuacan, the Archaeological Zone, the Pyramids, Blessed Miguel Pro, Viva Christo Ray, Puebla, the Church of the Fifth Apparition and other places. Cost is **\$ 2,690**. Includes R/T airfare JFK/EWK, first class hotel, all meals with wine, fees for tour guides, admission fees, Masses, spiritual director, flight bags and portfolio, trips to hotel and restaurant. Also, an option for **CANCUN** (4 days) with an addition of **\$1,300**. Interested to join? Call Fr. Alex at: 973-908-5498, or contact: A.M. Asia Tours and Travel, Inc. at 718-217-2384 or 917-701-4825 (Albert & Ampy Medenilla).

2- Greece, Greek Islands Cruise & Turkey September 30 - October 11, 2023. Visit the footsteps of St. Paul in Turkey and Greece, the Virgin Mary's House in Ephesus, Istanbul, Troy, Pergamum, Ephesus, St. John Monastery, Smyrna, Aegean Cruise, Patmos, Crete, Santorini and Athens. Cost is **\$3,999**. Includes airline taxes, international airfare from EWR airport, daily Mass, accommodation at 4 star hotels, breakfast and dinner daily, round trip transfers from airport to hotel; sightseeing and admission fees, hotel taxes, service charges and baggage handling. **Not included:** lunches during touring, personal expenses and gratuities for guides, driver, cruise staffs, optional trips and visa fees. Call Fr. Alex at: 973-908-5498, Genia at 973-202-4488 or Lety at 973-704-1545.

Religious Education



No classes:

April 2, 6, 9, 13

Confirmation Retreat:

April 1st

2:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

www.olmc-nutley.org/religious-education

Come Sing With Us!



We are looking for members to join both Adult and Youth Choir! If you or your child enjoys singing, please contact Andres at 347-678-6702. Adult choir practice is each Wednesday night 7:30 p.m. (singing at the 12:15 Mass) and Youth choir practice is each Thursday night 7:00 p.m. (singing at the 10:45 Mass).

You Are Not Alone (YANA)



The Parish Bereavement Support Group meets the second Wednesday of the month from 7:30 - 9:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. **Meetings are postponed until further notice.**

Communion for the Homebound



Upon request, Communion will be brought to any parishioner confined to the home. Please contact Denise at 973-542-0191. Reminder: those who are seriously ill, or weak from the burden of years, should request the Anointing of the Sick ~ to schedule: please contact the Rectory.

Oasis Day of Prayer for Women 2023

The Religious Teachers Filippini is hosting a Day of Prayer. **Date:** April 22, 2023. **Time:** 9:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. **Place:** Villa Walsh, Morristown, NJ. **Registration fee is \$15.00.** Kindly register by **April 1, 2023.** Please contact Sr. Alice Ivanyo at sralicei@gmail.com or Sr. Mary Rose Conforto at the rectory for further information.

Join Us...

Knights of Columbus

The group meets the **first and third Tuesday of the month at 8:00 p.m.** Meetings are held September through June. To join: email Ken at KofC6195@verizon.net or call the Rectory.

OLMC Rosary Society

The group meets the **first Thursday of the month at 1:00 p.m.** Our meetings will **resume at a later date.** For more information call Denise (973) 542-0191. New members welcome!

Women's Auxiliary

The group meets the **second Monday of the month at 1:00 p.m.** Our next meeting will be in **April.** For more information call Linda, (973) 661-0090 or email at lkr160@aol.com. New members welcome!

2022 Tax Information



If you wish to receive a statement of your 2022 donations to OLMC, kindly provide your name, address and daytime phone number on the below form and place in the collection basket. **If you would like your statement to be sent electronically, please add an email address to the form.** You may also email your request to: olmcnutley@optimum.net.

Please do not call the rectory to request this information.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Town/Zip: _____

Daytime Phone: _____

Email: _____

Food Pantry



Many people only donate to food pantries at holiday times. We sincerely appreciate your generosity throughout the year. Donations to our Food Pantry may include non-perishable foods: such as soups, sauces, pasta, rice, cereals, dry milk, canned foods, as well as toiletries.

Please check expiration dates before donating food. Please drop off food donations in one of the church vestibules. Please refrain from leaving donations on the porch of the rectory.

Parish Membership ... Why is it Important?

In order for the parish to keep accurate records, please notify the parish office of any changes in your address or phone number. In order for us to testify to your ability for sponsorship in Baptism, Confirmation or witness to a Catholic marriage, it is necessary to be a registered member of this parish. To register, fill out the form below and place in the collection basket.

Quick Parish Registration Request

Our welcome mat is always out. If you enjoy worshipping at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church, make us your official Parish by taking a few moments to register. You may also download a registration form on our website. All information is confidential.

I wish to register as a Parishioner of OLMC.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/Town: _____

Telephone: _____

New Registration Change of Address

Lent~ Sacrifice~ Donations Bins~ Any Connection?

Lent is a time of sacrifice in order to bring us closer to Christ. As we do so, we become more charitable. Would you be willing to sacrifice your time and efforts to go through your closets and donate clothing, shoes, linens, stuffed animals, and books to the Bin located on the property? If you do, you have made the connection. Thank you.

Stewardship

We have an obligation to share with others that which God has given us. Share your time and talents. Everyone can become involved in the life of our Parish by becoming an **Altar Server, Catechist, Choir Member, Lector or Usher**. By taking an active role in the liturgical life, and service of the Parish, you can have a wonderful experience. *Please complete the below form, and drop it in the collection basket or call the rectory.*

Ministry Sign Up Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

Town/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

I am interested in the following Ministry(ies):

- Altar Server
- Catechist
- Lector
- Choir
- Other _____

Casino Trip



There will be a casino bus trip to **Wind Creek Casino on Wednesday, April 26th**. Cost is **\$40** per person with **\$25** free slot play. The bus will leave OLMC at 9:00 a.m. and be back in Nutley at approximately 6:00 p.m. If you are interested and would like to make a reservation, please contact Linda 973-661-0090. This event is being sponsored by OLMC Women's auxiliary.

Sharing God's Blessings Annual Appeal ~ 2023

Parish Goal 2023: \$24,861

We are called to similarly share what is granted to us by God and return it to Him so that not one of our brothers and sisters goes without: without the gift of faith; without the essential human needs; and without a personal relationship with Our Lord. Will you join your brothers and sisters in Sharing God's Blessings? May God bless you for your generosity!