Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church

120 Prospect Street, Nutley, New Jersey 07110

Rev. Dennis E.Reiff, Pastor Rev. Malachy Odoh, Parochial Vicar Deacon Aldo Antola, Pastoral Associate Sr. Mary Rose Conforto, MPF, Religious Ed. Director Thomas Rudomanski, Pastoral Council President Adrian Soltys, Music Director

Masses

Weekday Masses
7 a.m. and 8 a.m.
Sunday
Saturday Evenings: 5 p.m.
Sunday:
7 a.m., 8 a.m., 9:15 a.m.,
10:45 a.m. and 12:15 p.m.

Misang Pilipino First Sunday, 3 p.m.

Devotions

Infant of Prague Novena Tuesday - 7:30 p.m.

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Novena Wednesday following 7 a.m. and 8 a.m. Masses

<u>First Friday Devotions</u> Resume October 5, 2012

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Weekdays after 8 a.m. Mass Saturday - 4 p.m.-5 p.m.





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

September 16, 2012 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time Rectory Hours

Monday-Friday: 9 a.m.-4 p.m. The Rectory is closed between 12:30 p.m. and 1:30 p.m. for lunch.

Rectory Phone Numbers

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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 or in the hospital.

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.





Saturday September 15

7 a.m. Jerry and Lynda Minneci-Pullins

8 a.m. Ann Fontana 5 p.m. Reese Wesner

Sunday
7 a.m.
8 a.m.
9:15 a.m.
September 16
People of the Parish
Eugene A. Cleirbaut
James and Grace O'Hara

10:45 a.m. Reese Wesner 12:15 p.m. Angelina Gallucci

Monday
7 a.m.
8 a.m.
September 17
Anthony Anello
Kathleen Lacey

Tuesday September 18 7 a.m. Frank Casella

8 a.m. Michael and Rose Berardinelli

Wednesday 7 a.m. September 19 Ethel Mileski 3 a.m. Joseph Liquori

Thursday 7 a.m. September 20 William A. Bradley, Jr. 8 a.m. Frank Fusaro

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Friday September 21
7 a.m. Anthony Anello
8 a.m. Luigi Carputo

Saturday September 22

7 a.m. Deceased Members of the

Lorenc Family 8 a.m. Michele Wayman 5 p.m. Anthony Poplawski

Sunday September 23

7 a.m. Salvatore and Antonetta Rotunda

8 a.m. People of the Parish 9:15 a.m. Remberto Rufin and Amparo Umaguing

10:45 a.m. Enrico Cortese

12:15 p.m. Dino Lorenzo, Birthday Remembrance

Prayers for Health Reasons

Regina Basiak, Josephine Benimeo, Lucy Calvanese, Sr. Mary Rose Conforto, Cindy Coviello, Donald Di Benedetto, Joshua Di Costanzo, Edward Dross, Frank and Helen Ferguson, Thomas Finetti, Grace Fiore, Joan Gabriele, Connie Garcia, Jean Gerard, Barbara Hahn, James Hamilton, Sal La Corte, Lucille, Eve McKay, Jorge Pagan, Stephi Pawelek, Hoyt Peavy, Maria A. Penaranda, Evelyn Perry, Isabella Piccininno, Marie Rispoli, Dean Sawruk, Stephen Sawruk, Emma Siciliano, Mariana Toledo, Joan Tomol, James Tressito.

Mass Book for 2013

Masses are scheduled in person Monday-Friday, from 9 a.m.- 4 p.m. If you are unable to come before 4 p.m., give us a call, and we'll try to have someone available.

Come to the Rectory to:

- ♦ Schedule a Mass for a loved one (living or deceased). Offering: Monday-Saturday morning, \$10; Saturday, 5 p.m. and Sunday, \$15.
- ◆ Schedule a Special Intention for a loved one (living or deceased).
- ♦ Make an offering in honor or in memory of a loved one for The Living Flame (\$10), Bread and Wine (\$25), or Altar Flowers (\$30).

Baptism Preparation

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. There is a processing fee of \$25. The next Baptism is on **Sunday**, **September 16** at 2 p.m. *Please note: There will not be another Baptismal Instruction course until 2013*.



OLMC Pet Food Drive

During the weeks of **September 16** and **September 23** we'll be collecting dog food and cat food (wet and/or dry). Please place donations in the boxes in the Church. As always, your generosi-

ty and support are appreciated by all of our furry friends.

The collection for September 9 was \$6,353. 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 this week In loving memory of

Michael and Rose Berardinelli
Bread and Wine offering this week is dedicated to

Sr. Mary Rose Conforto

Altar Flowers for this week are in honor of

Fr. Dennis Reiff, Happy Birthday



- During the month of September, the OLMC Youth Ministry will host a School Supply Drive for the children of the Apostles' House. The children are in need of back-packs, notebooks, pens, pencils, etc. Target gift cards are also welcome (please drop cards off at the Rectory). Gift cards will be used to purchase backto-school clothing for the children. Please leave your donations in the bins at the entrances to the church. As always, your generosity is appreciated.
- Zumba Night coming in October!

Catechetical Sunday: September 16th

The 2012 Catechetical Sunday theme is: Catechists and Teachers as Agents of the New Evangelization. Catechetical Sunday is an opportunity to reflect on the role that each person plays by virtue of Baptism, in handing on the faith and being a witness to the Gospel. It is especially opportune to recognize and commission catechetical leaders and catechist who are the backbone of the catechetical ministry. It is also an opportunity for all members of the Church to rededicate themselves to the mission of teaching the gospel in our community of faith and beyond.

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me." (Mark 8:34)
When we truly believe that all we have is a gift from God, then we must be willing to deny ourselves some things so that we can share our blessings as God intended them to be shared.

Holy Family 21st Annual Italian Festival Thursday, September 20 through Sunday, September 23

St. Mary's K of C Celebrates 90 Years!

The Knights of Columbus - Saint Mary's Council No. 2346 is commemorating a special dual celebration in honor of its 90th Anniversary within the Nutley community and in conjunction with the Supreme 130th Jubilee Celebration of the



Knights of Columbus, chartered by Father Michael J. McGivney on March 29, 1882. The Council is holding a 90 th Anniversary Gala on **Saturday, September 29** at Saint Mary's Parish Gymnasium, 16 Monsignor Owens Place, Nutley. **Cocktails at 7 p.m.; Dinner at 8 p.m.** Entertainment provided by Studio 312's nineteen-piece Big Band. Tickets are \$35 person, which includes appetizers; dinner and dessert, catered by Aromi Di Napoli Bakery; Bovella's Pastry Shoppe; Mama Vittoria Restaurant and Sebastião Bakery; beer, wine; coffee and tea. Cash bar after 8 p.m. For tickets, contact Grand Knight George Nealis at (973) 667-0104 or Gala Chairman Mark Matyas at MMdiplomat@aol.com.

Religious Education

Registration is ongoing. Please make every effort to register your child/children at this time. If you are unable to register your child/children at this time, please call the Rectory. Registration forms are also



available on our website. *CCD classes will begin in October.* A revised schedule has been mailed to parents. If you have not received a schedule, please call the Rectory.

Note to Parents...

Beginning in **November**, the OLMC Education Department will resume Children's Liturgy. All children are welcome and *strongly* encouraged as Catholics to attend. Please see schedule below. All masses are at **10:45 a.m.**

November 11, 2012 December 9, 2012 January 13, 2013 February 10, 2013 March 10, 2013 April 21, 2013

Dear Parishioners,

I cannot tell you how wonderful it is to be back to work. I missed everyone tremendously. Over the past two months all of you have been so supportive with your thoughtful prayers, cards, and wishes. Thanks to you, my recovery is a speedy one. God bless you. Love.

Sr. Mary Rose

Stewardship

We have an obligation to share with others, that which God has given us. Share your time, and talents. Men and women can become involved in the life of our Parish by becoming an Altar Server, Catechist, Choir Member, Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist, Lector, and/ or Usher. By taking an active role in the liturgical life, and service of the Parish, you can have a wonderful experience. We are especially in need of men and women to volunteer their time as Ushers during Mass. Feel free to fill out the form on page 5 and drop it in the collection basket or call the Rectory.

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Buy your tickets after all weekend masses or stop by the Rectory during business hours. We're also looking for volunteers to sell. Take some to sell to family, friends, and co-workers. **Next Drawing: Sunday, September 30, 1:15 p.m.**



~OLIVER'S CORNER~ Welcome back Sr. Mary Rose!





SAINTS FuN FaCts

St. Joseph of Cupertino (1603-1663) Feast Day: September 18 Canonized in 1767 by Pope Clement XII Patron of aviation, astronauts, mental handicaps, test-taking, and students



St. Joseph was born at Cupertino, in the diocese of Nardo in the Kingdom of Na-

ples. Following a childhood of simplicity and innocence, he joined the Franciscan Friars. He was most devoted to the Blessed Mother and promoted devotion to her among all classes of people. It is said that the life of this saint was marked by ecstasies and levitations. The mere mention of God or a spiritual matter was enough to take him out of his senses. At Mass he frequently floated in the air in rapture.

113th Annual Feast of St. Gerard Majella

St. Lucy's Church 118 7th Avenue, Newark (973) 482-6663 www.saintlucy.net

<u>St. Gerard Novena and Relic Blessing</u>
Friday, October 12 through
Tuesday, October 16

Anointing of the Sick
Tuesday, October 9

<u>Blessing of Women Praying to Conceive</u> Wednesday, October 10

> <u>Blessing of Expectant Mothers</u> Thursday, October 11

Blessing of Newborn Babies Friday, October 12

For a complete schedule of masses, processions, and other feast events, please visit the website mentioned above.

Join Us!

Adult Handicraft
Fall Dates will be announced shortly.
Knights of Columbus

Our next meeting will be on **Tuesday, September 18** in the Parish Hall at 8 p.m. To join, call Fred, (973) 667-7663 or email Michael at gk6195@njkofc.org.

Women's Auxiliary

Meetings are held the **second Monday of each month** at 1 p.m. in the Church Hall. If you would like to become a member of our group, join us at our next meeting on **October 8**, or call Linda, (973) 661-0090.

High School Expo

Is your child currently in grades 7-8? If so, now is the time to start learning about our Catholic secondary schools and what they have to offer you and your family. The Catholic secondary schools of the Archdiocese of Newark are sponsoring three evenings entitled *High School Expo*. The schedule is as follows:

- Tuesday, September 25, 7 p.m., St. Nicholas School, 118 Ferry St., Jersey City
- Wednesday, September 26, 7 p.m., Visitation Academy, 222 Fairview Ave., Paramus
- Thursday, September 27, 7 p.m., Archdiocesan Center, 171 Clifton Ave., Newark

For directions, or more information, please call (973) 497 -4258 or visit www.catholicschoolsnj.org.

Cooperative Admissions Exams are required to apply.

See page 5 for information.



YANA (You Are Not Alone)

Our Parish Bereavement Support Group will meet on **Wednesday, October 10** from **7:30 p.m.-9 p.m.** in the Parish Hall. Our Support Group is open to anyone (parishioner or non-parishioner) who has suffered the loss of a friend, relative or a loved

one. There is no charge and reservations are not required. All you need is an open mind and an open heart. Let us try to help you through this time of grief.

Dates to Remember

September 15/16: Assessment Collection **Sunday, September 16:** Baptism, 2 p.m.

Tuesday, September 18: Infant of Prague Novena,

7:30 p.m., K of C, 8 p.m.

Monday, September 24: Parish Council Meeting, 7 p.m.

Tuesday, September 25: Infant of Prague Novena, 7:30 p.m.

Sunday, September 30: 50/50 Drawing, 1:15 p.m.

Prayers and Devotion Join Us!

Prayer Group

The OLMC Prayer Group meets Monday-Friday following the 8 a.m. mass.

<u>Devotion to Our Lady</u> of Mount Carmel

Following the Wednesday 7 and 8 a.m. Masses, we meet for Novena prayers.

The Rosary

Every day, Sunday through Saturday just before the 7 a.m. mass.

<u>Infant of Prague Novena</u> Tuesday evenings at 7:30 p.m.

First Friday Devotions

Resume **Friday**, **October 5** following the 8 a.m. mass.

Parish Registration

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. Please complete the information in the space below and place it in the collection and we will contact you.

All information is kept confidential.

Quick Parish Registration Request

I wish to register as a Parishioner of OLMC

Address:			

Phone:

New Registration

Name:

Town:

♦ Change of Address

Cooperative Admissions Exam

Eighth grade students, who are planning on attending a Catholic high school in September, 2013 are required to take the Cooperative Admissions Exam. The test will be administered on **Friday, November 9**. Registration is required. Application forms, Handbooks and a listing of all Catholic High Schools and their admission requirements, and testing sites are available from www.coopexam.org or email support@coopexam.org. You may also call (888) 921-2667 with questions or to obtain a registration form.

Parish Food Pantry

Many people only donate to food pantries at holiday times, but we want to thank you, for being so consistent all year round, with your generous giving. In spite of what time of the year it may be, you have never stopped sharing with those less fortunate. We thank you from the bottom of our hearts. *Donations to our Food Pantry consist of non-perishable foods: such as soups, sauces, pasta, rice, cereals, dry milk, canned vegetables, as well as toiletries (toothpaste, toothbrushes, soap, etc.) *Please leave your donations in one of the vestibules facing the parking lot or at the Rectory during business hours*.

*Before you donate food from your own pantry, please check all goods for expiration dates. If any food is outdated, please discard it. As always we deeply appreciate your generosity. Because of you, many families in our community are able to have healthy meals.

Save the Date!

Women's Auxiliary Bus Ride to Atlantic City Wednesday, November 28 Details to come...

VOLUNTEER SIGN-UP FORM					
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Address:	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				
Town:					
Phone:					
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