

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church

120 Prospect Street, Nutley, New Jersey 07110

July 2, 2017

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America



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Pastor

Rev. Kevin J. Schott
Parochial Vicar

Deacon Aldo Antola
Pastoral Associate

Sr. Mary Rose Conforto, MPF
Director of Religious Education

Andrew Cardona
Director of Music Ministry

Mass Schedule

Monday-Friday: 8:00 a.m.

Saturday Morning: 7:30 a.m.

Sunday: Saturday, 5:00 p.m.

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

Holy Days: As Announced

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Weekdays after the 8:00 a.m. Mass

Saturday: 2:00 p.m.

Devotions

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

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

First Friday Devotions: 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.

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

Rectory Phone Numbers

(973) 667-2580

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Emails

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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.

July 2, 2017 ~ 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Intentions

Saturday 7:30 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	July 1 Carmel and Elaine Santagada William Bogacz
Sunday 7:30 a.m. 9:15 a.m. 10:45 a.m. 12:15 p.m.	July 2 Nicholas Molinaro James and Grace O'Hara Thomas Finetti Elizabeth Hurley
Monday 8:00 a.m.	July 3 John and Caroline Lardier
Tuesday 8:00 a.m.	July 4 Philip Petracca
Wednesday 8:00 a.m.	July 5 Salvatore and Antoinetta Rotunda
Thursday 8:00 a.m.	July 6 John and Ann Legge
Friday 8:00 a.m.	July 7 George Vlacich
Saturday 7:30 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	July 8 Frank and Malou Venadas ~ <i>Wedding Anniversary</i> ~ Idalia Gobaira Lorenzo
Sunday 7:30 a.m. 9:15 a.m. 10:45 a.m. 12:15 p.m.	July 9 Robert M. Kennedy Eleanor and Alfonse Detrolino Marie Buono Margaret "Peggy" Coppola

OLMC Website

Forgot to pick up a Sunday bulletin? Visit our website www.olmc-nutley.org to check out the latest bulletin, get Religious Education news, Mass schedules, find out more information about our various organizations, events, and much more. Pay us a visit!

Prayers for Health Reasons

Emma Allen, Lucille Badan, Robert Balogh, Josephine Benimeo, George Berkovich, Rudolfo Clavecilla, Ana Marie de Vera, Donald and Shirley Di Benedetto, Joshua Di Costanzo, Richard Dinzes, Veronica Duff, Domenick Falduto, Grace Fiore, Joan Gabriele, Connie Garcia, Michele Giannone, Robert Griffin, Mary Hamilton, Kevin Harmacoond, Patricia Holevas, Pat Hosey, Barbara Klena, Madonna Junker, Justin, Lucille, Lynda, Jim McGurran, Eve McKay, Gerard F. Melillo, Madeline Micael, Lawrence Miller, Karen Ann Niles, Jack Nitz, Robert Palmer, Stephanie Pena, Maria A. Penaranda, Evelyn Perry, Vincent Petracco, Isabella Piccininno, Angela and Frank Porter, Richard Reidy, Albert Reyes, Jocelyn Reyes, Marie Rispoli, Anne Rotonda, Stephen Sawruk, Josephine Senek, Janice Stoyack, Susan, John Tiseo, Mariana Toledo, Joan Tomol, James Tressito, Gina Villaggio, Leonard Villaggio, Emily Wills, Ramona Zungri

Mass Intentions

Masses are scheduled in person during office hours.

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.

2018 Mass Book is open. One weekend and two weekday Masses are permitted to be scheduled at this time to accommodate the needs of all parishioners. Thank you for your consideration. Beginning in 2018, the Saturday morning Mass will be at 8:00 a.m.

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 scheduled for **Sunday, July 9 at 2:00 p.m.**

Please visit our website to read guidelines for god-parents and for a complete Baptismal Schedule. There are no Baptisms during Lent.

Parish Collection

June 25: \$3,650

Utilities Collection: \$1,316

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
Claudia M. Rudomanski
The **Bread and Wine** offering this week in Loving Memory of
Idalia Gobaira Lorenzo

Religious Education

~Registration has begun for the 2017-2018 school year. Forms were mailed out to parents. Parents can also download forms on our website. Visit our Religious Education page.

~A complete Religious Education Calendar for the upcoming school year will be posted on our website.

RCIA: Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

RCIA is a process of faith formation for people who may wish to become a member of the Catholic Faith Community.

This may be for you:

- ◆ Some people may not have any religious affiliation and may not have been baptized.
- ◆ Some people may have been baptized in another religion or faith tradition but wish to become Catholic.
- ◆ Some people may already be Catholic through Baptism but have never received the Sacraments of Holy Eucharist and/or Confirmation and wish to do so.

For more information, please contact Fr. Kevin or complete the below form and mail to the rectory or drop in the collection basket.

RCIA Information Request

Name: _____

Address: _____

Town/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

- I am Catholic but never received Holy Eucharist
- I am Catholic but never received Confirmation
- I have not been Baptized
- I am of a different faith but wish to convert to Catholicism
- I wish to receive additional information



Independence Day Prayer



Lord, I pray that I never take my freedom for granted. May I always remember that my freedom was purchased at a very high price. My freedom cost others their very lives. Lord, bless those who have served and

continue to give their lives for our freedom. Meet their needs and watch over their families. Amen.

Good Shepherd Academy Registration

GSA announces its annual Open Registration for grades K through 6 and Preschool program for 3-4 years old. Visit gsanutley.org or contact the Admissions Office at 973-667-2049 Ext. 103 or email cmcallister@gsanutley.org for further information.

Spring Bus ride to AC

The Women's Auxiliary is hosting another fun-filled bus ride to Caesars in Atlantic City on **Wednesday, August 16**. The fare is \$25. In return, guests will receive a \$20 voucher from the casino. The bus will depart from the Church on Prospect St. at **9:00 a.m.** Please park in the Church lot. For reservations, call Dottie at (973) 759-3189.



At a Glance ...

July 3 and 4

Independence Day ~ Rectory Closed

July 9

Baptism: 2:00 p.m.

July 12

YANA: 7:30 p.m.

July 25

Infant of Prague Novena ~ Canceled

July 29

No Confessions

Summer Schedule

The Rectory will be closed on Fridays during the summer. We will resume regular office hours on September 8.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Light maintenance and groundskeeping work. Please contact the Rectory.

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, Lector, and/or Usher**. By taking an active role in the liturgical life, and service of the Parish, you can have a wonderful experience. *Feel free to fill out 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 _____

Support Groups for Parents Grieving the Death of a Child

The needs of parents who have suffered the loss of a son or daughter are unique. The Office of Family Life Ministries of the Archdiocese of Newark sponsors support groups for Parents Grieving the Death of a Child. The groups are led by trained facilitators - parents who have personally experienced the death of a child. Groups meet at St. Thomas the Apostle Church, Parish Center, 60 Byrd Avenue, Bloomfield on the **First Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. (July and August at 7 p.m.)** and at St. Peter the Apostle Church, Rectory Basement, 445 Fifth Avenue, River Edge on the **Third Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m.** There is no fee to participate and pre-registration is not needed. Please call the Office of Family Life Ministries at (973) 497- 4327 or email at: eganlaur@rcan.org for further information.

Marriage Enrichment

It is the season of New Life! Give new life to your marriage by attending the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. For more information contact Mike and Janet Turco at (973) 427-7016 or (609) 335-6880 or email njwwme@peoplepc.com.

Music Notes

St. Augustine once said, "In heaven, that which is not song is silence". In fact music is the "love" and silence is the "peace". Previously, I'd written about the role of music in the liturgy mentioning that the role of music is to serve and enhance the liturgy. Liturgical music should never dominate the mass rituals but, rather, provide consistency with the flow of liturgical action.

Is silence an aspect of liturgical music? Yes. Think of the power of silence. Observe the genius of the composer in creating the music for the Lamb of God. Dan Schutte inserts a REST where we completely pause for one full second before we gently end by softly holding onto "peace---". The silence that precedes it serves as an embodiment of that very palpable peace.

The next time, you attend mass, take note of all the places during the liturgy where you hear silence. Next, pay close attention to the moments in the midst of a song where you may also hear silence. As you sing through that song, meditate on what that silence means to you. What did it tell you? Did you hear the voice of Jesus? Listen closely ... listen to the silence!!

~ Andrew Cardona

Join Us...

Knights of Columbus

To join: email Ken at KofC6195@verizon.net or call the rectory. **The group meets the first and third Tuesday of the month at 8:00 p.m.** There will be no meetings in July and August. **Meetings resume on Tuesday, September 5.**

OLMC Rosary Society

Our Rosarians will resume meetings in **September.**

Women's Auxiliary

If you would like to become a member of our group call Linda, (973) 661-0090. Our next meeting will be announced.

Flapjack Fundraiser and Tricky Tray

You're invited to Applebee's Flapjack Fundraiser and Tricky Tray breakfast to support the OLMC Women's Auxiliary on **Saturday, October 21 from 8:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m.** For tickets call Linda: (973) 661-0090 or email LKR160@aol.com. Tickets are \$10.



**Sharing God's Blessings
Annual Appeal**

This year's Appeal, *Sharing God's Blessings* is a perfect opportunity for us to reflect on God's generosity to us and to share the blessings we have been given with those around us. This year, our parish goal is as follows:

Parish Goal 2017: \$27,869

We are often reminded by our Holy Father Pope Francis and Sacred Scripture that in order to love one another we must share the blessings which God has provided to us.

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. We are called to Share God's Blessings, and when we do, we find freedom and joy in proclaiming the Resurrection of the Lord Jesus, just as the Apostles did over 2,000 years ago!

Will you join your brothers and sisters in **Sharing God's Blessings?**

May God bless you for your generosity!

If you're planning a summer getaway ...
Visit www.masstimes.org
You can find Mass schedules worldwide.

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. Also, when moving away, please let us know. All adult Catholics should be registered in a parish. Young adults of working age should register independently of their parents. 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, simply fill out the form on this page and drop it in the collection basket, or call the Rectory.*

Choir Practice

Summer Hiatus: Following the June 13 practice date, there will be no Choir Practice from mid-June through August. Junior and Adult Choirs resume practice in September.

Junior Choir: Every Tuesday at 5:30 p.m.

Adults Choir: Every Tuesday at 8:00 p.m. New members are always welcome. Call Andrew, (347) 678-6702, email: acardona.music@hotmail.com.

You Are Not Alone (YANA)

Our Parish Bereavement Support Group will meet on July 12 from **7:30 p.m. - 9:00 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. 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.

Summer Fun at GSA - June 19 to July 28, 2017

Program conducted by certified teachers for students entering K - 8. Separate Pre-K 3/4 Program available. Program: Daily - Religion, Math, Reading, Art, PE Weekly - Culinary, Science, Computer activities For Hours, Fees, and additional information visit the Good Shephard Academy website: www.gsanutley.org

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, place it in the collection basket and we will contact you. You may also download a registration form on our website. *All information is kept confidential.*

Quick Parish Registration Request
I wish to register as a Parishioner of OLMC.

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Address: _____

Town: _____

Phone: _____

- New Registration
- Change of Address

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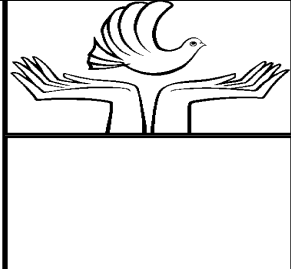
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