



# 5th Sunday of Easter

May 1 & 2, 2010

## This Week in our Parishes

### Saturday, May 1<sup>st</sup>

2:30 pm, Sacrament of Reconciliation – SAS  
3:00 pm, Cash Bash – OLMC Parish Center  
4:00 pm, Mass – SAS (+Marie Kreps)

### Sunday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>

Second Collection – Buildings and Grounds  
7:00 am, Mass – SAS (+Mary Goetz)  
8:00 am, SAS Flea Market – SAS Pavilion  
8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Ethel Little)  
9:30 am, Y.M. Mass – SAS (L&D Parishioners)  
11:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Carroll Little)

### Monday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>

8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Frances Seltzer)  
9:00 am, Mom's Group Mtg. – SAS Schoolhouse  
3:00 pm, Eucharistic Adoration – OLMC  
6:15 pm, Adult Choir Practice - SAS  
6:30 pm, Girl Scouts Meeting – SAS Schoolhouse  
8:00 pm, AA Meeting – SAS Upper Hall

### Tuesday, May 4<sup>th</sup>

8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Jordan Carr)  
8:30 am, Thurmont Ministerium Meeting  
1:00 pm, Bring Your Own Craft – SAUH  
7:30 pm, Knights of Columbus Mtg. - OLMC

### Wednesday, May 5<sup>th</sup>

No Morning Mass  
7:00 pm, RCIA – SAS Upper Hall

### Thursday, May 6<sup>th</sup>

8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Braxton Carr)  
6:30 pm, Handbell Practice – OLMC Parish Ctr.  
6:30 pm, YOGA – SAS Upper Hall

### Friday, May 7<sup>th</sup>

7:30 am, Morning Prayer - OLMC  
8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (L&D Mbrs of Bob & Dot  
Maze Family and Katherine Beard)  
7:00 pm, SMAC! Fun Night – MSM ARCC

### Saturday, May 8<sup>th</sup>

4:00 pm, Mass – SAS (L&D Parishioners)

### Sunday, May 9<sup>th</sup>

### Mothers Day

Second Collection – Seminarians  
7:00 am, Mass – SAS (+Mothers Day Intentions)  
8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Mothers Day Intentions)  
9:30 am, Mass – SAS (+Mothers Day Intentions)  
11:00 am, Mass – OLMC(+Mothers Day Intentions)  
3:00 pm, Boy Scouts (Tigers) - SASH

### 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter

May 8 & 9

#### Scripture Readings for Mass

**First Reading** ~ Acts 15:1-2,22-29/57

**Responsorial** ~ Ps. 67:2-3,5,6,8

**Second Reading** ~ Revelation 21:10-14,22-23

**Gospel** ~ John 14:23-29

## Our Ministry of Prayer

Please remember in prayer the intentions written in our Book of Prayer located in each Church and the Parish Center entrance area. We also remember those persons who have requested prayers through the prayer chain.

Also, please remember the following parishioners in prayer:

<i>JoAnn Cannada</i>	<i>Kathleen Cekic</i>
<i>Dick Cool</i>	<i>Grace Crotts</i>
<i>Denise Ferguson</i>	<i>Joan Fink</i>
<i>Brian Gebhart</i>	<i>Jimmy Glass</i>
<i>Doris Glass</i>	<i>Mary Jack</i>
<i>Lloydann Kauffman</i>	<i>Jeanette Massena</i>
<i>Rosemary McDermott</i>	<i>Karen Mills</i>
<i>Dolores Munafo</i>	<i>Tony Newman</i>
<i>Mary Reckley</i>	<i>Elfrieda Ridenour</i>
<i>Mary Catherine Shields</i>	<i>Francis Smith</i>
<i>Margaret Smith</i>	<i>Robert Smith</i>
<i>Allyson Grace Weddle</i>	<i>Carroll Wivell</i>
<i>Joe Wivell, Sr.</i>	<i>Lorraine Wivell</i>



## For Prayer Requests

please call the Parish Office at (301) 447-2367 or Linda McCauley at (301) 271-7561.



## Baptismal Preparation Classes

*Congratulations to all new parents.*

If you are planning to have your baby baptized, please contact the parish office to register for the baptismal preparation class. Parents and godparents are invited to attend. The next class will be **Sunday, May 16, at 1 pm at St. Anthony Shrine in the church.** The class is expected to last about one hour. If you have any questions, please call Barbara at the parish office (301) 447-2367.

**Mother's Day Spiritual Bouquet Cards** are available in the back of the churches. On Mother's Day, May 9<sup>th</sup>, the Masses will be celebrated for the intentions received.

### ConnecTeen Catholics (CTC)

**CTC Night – Monday, May 10, 7 - 8:30 pm SASH**

**CTC Night- Monday, June 7, 7-8:30 pm SASH**

**Catholic Live- Tuesday, June 29, 10 am to 10 pm**  
High School Youth Conference at Mount St. Mary's featuring **Fr. Leo Patalinghug**, awesome music with **Judd and Maggie** and **Clint Felts**. Ropes course, Mass with the **Bishop Rozanski** and great breakout sessions. \$45 fee includes lunch and dinner. Money & permission slips due to Lori by June 7.

**For information on High School Youth Ministry**  
Events or to volunteer contact:  
Lori Carter (301) 271-4050 [lpitcarter@comcast.net](mailto:lpitcarter@comcast.net).

### Youth Ministry Music Practices

for students in grades 6 – 12 are held Sunday evenings 6:30 - 8:00 pm in the OLMC Parish Center.

**Upcoming practices:** May 16 & 23  
*A Pizza social will follow the practices.*

### Have You got Rad Guitar Skills or Sing?

Then the **SMAC Youthband** needs your musical interests and talents!

Youth in grades 6 – 12 are invited to our **Open House on Sundays, May 16 & 23**  
6:30 pm OLMC Parish Center

Let us know if you are planning on coming to either Open House so we can order more pizza for our after practice social!

To RSVP or for more information call (301) 241-4001 or email [mccullochanna@hotmail.com](mailto:mccullochanna@hotmail.com).

### S M A C! Youth Ministry News

All 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade parishioners are invited to the **SMAC Fun Night on Friday, May 7<sup>th</sup>** from 7:00 to 10:00 pm in the Mount St. Mary's ARCC. Don't miss the fun, food and friends! For information call Mike Miller at (301) 271-9871.

### S M A C! Calendar of Events

- May 7 – SMAC Fun Night – 7-10 pm ARCC

## Peace & Social Justice Committee *an education and action ministry*

May

26<sup>th</sup> Casseroles for FRM due date

To volunteer or participate in any activities, please contact Deacon John Hawkins at (301) 271-2194 or [JHawkins@archbalt.org](mailto:JHawkins@archbalt.org).

**“This is my commandment: love one another as I love you.” John 15:12**

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### Vacation Bible School



Plans are being made for this summer's Vacation Bible School “**High Seas Expedition**”, where kids explore the Mighty Love of God. Many adult volunteers are needed to make VBS a success.

This is a wonderful opportunity to have fun learning about God with your kids. High school and middle school age volunteers can help make VBS an even better and exciting time. This year, VBS will be held **June 21 – 25** at St. Anthony Shrine. Please consider being a volunteer. Contact either Sara Miller at [miller.sara@gmail.com](mailto:miller.sara@gmail.com) or (301) 271-9871 or Sister Val at [Valentafssj@aol.com](mailto:Valentafssj@aol.com) or (301) 271-4099.

### 1<sup>st</sup> Annual His Place Car Show

to benefit **Mother Seton School &**

**Emmitsburg Osteopathic Primary Care Center**

**Date:** Saturday, May 15 (Rain date: May 16)

**Location:** Mother Seton School

**Time:** 8-12 Register/12-2 Judging/3 Awards

**Entry Fee:** \$10 (benefits MSS & Dgts of Charity)

**Info:** Bill Kuhn 800-529-5835

See Flier on Bulletin Board for more details.

### Mark Your Calendars

- May 2 – Flea Market – 8 am – SAS Pavilion
- May 4 – Bring Your Own Craft – 1 pm SAUH
- May 10 – Tuition Assistance Mtg. – 7 pm SAS
- May 16 - Flea Market – 8 am – SAS Pavilion
- May 16 – Baptismal Preparation – 1 pm SAS
- May 20 – SAS Yard Sale – 8 am SAS Pavilion
- May 21 – Yard/Food Sale – 8 am SAS Pavilion
- May 22 – Yard/Food Sale – 8 am SAS Pavilion
- May 25 – Pastoral Council Meeting – 7 pm SAS



## Yard Sale / Bake Sale



Saint Anthony Shrine will be having a **Yard and Bake Sale** on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, **May 20<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup>**. For those wanting to sell items, space will be available for \$15/one day, \$25/two days or \$30/all three days; no reservations needed. All of you **BAKERS**, we will need your donations to make this day a success. Your help in the past has been most appreciated. *Thank you in advance.* For additional information, call Helen Reaver (301) 447-6431 or the parish office (301) 447-2367

## Marriage, Divorce and Annulments from a Catholic Perspective

The Tribunal of the Archdiocese will be giving two presentations in our area concerning divorce & annulment from the Catholic perspective. The presentations will be helpful for divorced Catholics; those divorced who wish to marry Catholics, those parish leaders involved in the RCIA process & any others who may have vested interest because of family or friends. The 2<sup>nd</sup> sessions will be held at:

St. Peter the Apostle  
9201A Church Street, Libertytown  
on May 19, 2010 from 7-9

No prior registration is required. For further information, please call 410-547-5533. Additional presentations can be found on the posters on the bulletin boards in the back of church.



### Are you registered?

If you are here as a visitor we welcome you and are glad to have you join us anytime. If you live in the area and are thinking of making our parishes your faith home, please fill out a registration form that can be found in the back of all 3 worship spaces. If you've been with us for some time and have not yet registered we ask that you too fill out a registration form. Like the 2010 census, registration is the best way to find out about what is happening in the parishes, for you to support our parishes, and for us to know how we can best serve you. If you get mail from us you are registered; if not, you're not registered. We don't send out much mail but when we do it is important. If you're still not sure, call the parish office and Diane will be able to tell you if you are registered or not.

## Support

Saint Anthony Shrine &  
Our Lady of Mount Carmel  
Parishes by eating at Rocky's!



Bring this coupon to  
**Rocky's NY Pizza & Restaurant**  
(301-271-7181) on Tippin Drive  
the **first Monday** of each month.  
Rocky's will donate **15%** of all sales  
with the coupon to our parishes.

Eat at the restaurant, carry-out,  
or have it delivered.  
Have fun & support the parish!

## April's Poor Box Allocations

Your Poor Box in Action - the following local charities received monies from our parishes this month:

Catholic Charities	\$100.00
O'Dwyer Retreat House	\$25.00
Religious Coalition for Emergency Human Needs	\$25.00
Seton Center	\$400.00
Thurmont Ambulance	\$50.00
Thurmont Ministerium	\$75.00
Up County Family Support	\$100.00

A total of \$775.00 went to local charities in April, alone, thanks for your continued support.

## FINANCIAL REPORT

### Weekend of April 24 & 25, 2010

#### Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

Attendance		329
Envelopes	(76)	1,804.00
Loose		502.51
Total		2,306.51
Poor Box		106.00

#### St. Anthony Shrine

Attendance		361
Envelopes	(67)	2,302.00
Loose		616.55
Total		2,918.55
Poor Box		160.74

## *From Barbara . . .*

“Behold, I will make all things new.” The Easter season is a time of renewal. At the Easter vigil we blessed new water for our fonts and new fire for our candles. God dwells among us and gives us new life. God has been glorified and we share in that glory through God’s love for us and our love for one another. Take time this week to renew yourself and to recognize God’s love around you.

Last week’s celebration of Confirmation was a wonderful testimony to our parish communities. As our newly confirmed renewed their baptismal vows, they committed themselves to the faith in a new way. Thanks also to everyone who made the celebration and reception such a wonderful time for all of us.

On the back of our bulletins are ads which offset the cost of printing the bulletins. After the cost of the bulletins is covered, we share in the revenue from the ads with the printing company. This is a very simple way for us to generate more income. Also, please patronize those advertising there and tell them you saw the ad on the bulletin. If you or someone you know would like to advertise on the back of the bulletin please call Tim or Phil Maher at the number listed there.

May God continue to bless us all. Alleluia! Alleluia!

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### **Are You Recently Separated or Divorced?**

“**Together We Can Make it!**” is an 8-week closed group session for anyone dealing with separation/divorce. Meetings are held at St. Timothy’s Catholic Church, Walkersville, MD. For additional information contact Andrea at 301-695-9156 or e-mail [andrearohrsmith@aol.com](mailto:andrearohrsmith@aol.com).

## **The 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Volunteer Appreciation**



Are you involved in any of our parishes’ ministries? Do you take the Eucharist to the homebound? Do you help with any of the liturgical ministries? Are you a catechist with our Religious Education program? If you answered “yes” to any of the above questions then this party is for you and your family.

**When: Sat. June 5, 2010 5:00 pm**  
**(Immediately following the 4 pm Mass)**  
**Where: St. Anthony Pavilion/Yard**

There will be hot dogs, hamburgers, pork barbecue, chips, pretzels, beverages and family friendly entertainment. The parish staff will be doing all the work so that you, our hard working volunteers, can enjoy the event without having to set-up, clean-up, or otherwise work for it. **If you can, please bring a side dish or dessert that begins with the first letter of your last name (be creative).**

We look forward to celebrating our wonderful parishioners without whom we would not be able to support all the marvelous things we do as Church. Hope you plan on joining us.

