

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 16 & 17, 2010

This Week in our Parishes

Saturday, October 16th

2:30 am, Sacrament of Reconciliation - OLMC
4:00 pm, Mass - SAS (+William Ruth)
7:00 pm, Rev. Rick Hill Benefit Concert - OLMC

Sunday, October 17th Ordinary 29

7:00 am, Mass – SAS (+Harry & Mary Scott)
8:00 am, SAS Flea Market – SAS Pavilion
8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Carrie, Clayton & William Creager)
9:15 am, Religious Education Classes – TMS
9:15 am, Confirmation Class - TMS
9:30 am, Mass – SAS (L&D Parishioners)
11:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Carroll Little)
1:00 pm, Secular Franciscan Order – OLMC
6:30 pm, Y.M. Music Practice – OLMC

Monday, October 18th

8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+June & Taylor Cook)
9:00 am, Mom's Group Mtg. - SASH
2:00 pm, Eucharistic Adoration - OLMC
7:00 pm, AA Meeting – SAS Upper Hall

Tuesday, October 19th

8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (Int. Cassandra Bush)
6:30 pm, KofC Social Night - OLMC

Wednesday, October 20th

No Morning Mass
6:30 pm, Handbell Practice – OLMC
7:00 pm, RCIA – SAS Upper Hall

Thursday, October 21st

8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Frances Seltzer)
6:30 pm, Choir Practice – SAS
6:30 pm, YOGA – SAS Upper Hall

Friday, October 22nd

7:30 am, Morning Prayer - OLMC
8:00 am, Mass– OLMC (Int. Bonnie Bush Schaffer)

Saturday, October 23rd

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

Sunday, October 24th Ordinary 30

7:00 am, Mass – SAS (+Juanita Coleman)
8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Charles Putman)

Sunday, October 24th Continued

9:15 am, Religious Education Classes – TMS
9:30 am, Y.M. Mass – SAS (+Andrew Hannon)
11:00 am, Mass–OLMC (Int. Joe & Sarah Marcinko
50th Wedding Anniversary)
6:30 pm, Y.M. Music Practice – OLMC

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Scripture Readings for Mass

First Reading ~ Sirach 35:12-14,16-18/150

Responsorial ~ Ps. 34:2-3,17-18,19-23

Second Reading ~ 2 Timothy 4:6-8,16-18

Gospel ~ Luke 18:9-14

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:

JoAnn Cannada

Kathy Cogan

Grace Crofts

John Fink

Jimmy Glass

Jamie Hill

Lloydann Kauffman

Jeanette Massena

Dolores Munafo

Helen Reaver

Elfrieda Ridenour

Francis Smith

Robert Smith

Joe Wivell, Sr.

Kathleen Cekic

Dick Cool

Denise Ferguson

Brian Gebhart

Doris Glass

Mary Jack

Corey Kinna

Rosemary McDermott

Tony Newman

Mary Reckley

Diane Shockey

Margaret Smith

Carroll Wivell

Lorraine Wivell



For Prayer Requests

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

Altar Flowers

St. Anthony's altars this weekend are donated in loving memory of

Harry and Mary Scott

by Joe and Bev Scott.



Our next **Blood Drive** will be held on **Monday, October 25** in Our Lady of Mt. Carmel's

Parish Center from 2:00-8:00 pm.

Call Terri Allen at (301) 271-7872 to make an appointment. Walk-ins are also welcome.



Welcome Newest Member
James Courtland Bassler, son of
James & Bridget Bassler
 Baptized **October 10, 2010**

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, November 14, at 1 pm** at **Our Lady of Mount Carmel** 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.

ConnecTeen Catholics (CTC)

CTC Night - Saturday, November 6, 5 to 7 pm

Join us at SAS Schoolhouse after 4:00 Mass for Food, Fun, Faith and Friends!

For information on High School Youth Ministry

Events or to volunteer contact:

Lori Carter (301) 271-4050 [kpltcarter@comcast.net](mailto:lpitcarter@comcast.net).

S M A C Youth Ministry News

Halloween Party – Saturday, Oct 30, 7:00 – 9:30 pm in SAS Upper Hall. Come in costume!

SMAC Meeting - Friday, Nov 5, 7:15 - 8:45 pm in the old Schoolhouse at St. Anthony's. All 6th, 7th and 8th grade parishioners are invited. Don't miss the fun, food and friends!

For information call Mike Miller at (301) 271-9871.

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 are scheduled for:

October 17 & 24

A Pizza social will follow the practices.

Thurmont Walk for

Hunger and Human Needs

Sunday, November 7, 1:30 pm

The 10th **Annual Walk** is being coordinated by Graceham Moravian Church in conjunction with The Thurmont Ministerium. The Walk begins and ends at the Thurmont Senior Citizens Center at East Main Street. 50% of the funds raised will be given to the Thurmont Food Bank and 50% to the Thurmont Ministerium. For additional information, call Pastor Jeff Gehris or Joanne Fuss, DCE at (301) 271-2379.

Peace & Social Justice Committee

an education and action ministry

October

18th **Holy Hour for Life** at OLMC - 6:00pm

25th **Holy Hour for Life** at OLMC - 6:00pm

27th **Casseroles** for FRM due date

40 Days for Life

This fall, from September 22nd through October 31st, our faith community will participate in a nationwide, ecumenical prayer event to end abortion. The campaign will include three components:

Prayer and Fasting: We are invited to join together for 40 days of fervent prayer and fasting for an end to abortion.

Peaceful Vigil: Volunteers are invited to pray peacefully outside of the abortion clinic in Frederick. We are scheduled to pray at the vigil on Saturdays. Volunteers are asked to sign up for one hour blocks of time.

Community Outreach: The pro-life message will be promoted through media efforts and public visibility.

To volunteer or participate in any activities,

please contact Deacon John Hawkins at

(301) 271-2194 or JHawkins@archbalt.org.

"This is my commandment: love one another as I love you." John 15:12

Presbyterian Church Celebration

The Presbyterian Church in Emmitsburg is **celebrating 250 years** of being established as a congregation. We would like to invite your congregation to celebrate with us on **Sunday, October 24, 4:00 pm**. We will have a service followed by refreshments. Please come!

Mother Seton School Events

REGISTER NOW for November 13 - Fall Fun Run/Walk (rain or shine) Mother Seton School, Emmitsburg invites you to our 2nd Annual Fall Fun Run/Walk. This fun activity for the whole family will be held at Mount St. Mary's University Campus Waldron Stadium. Events include a 5k Run/Walk for individuals, a 1 Mile Run open to all ages, and a 200 Meter Kid Dash for 7 years and under and parents with strollers. Registration fee for **5k** is \$20 per runner and \$5 for kids under age 18, **1 Mile registration** \$12 for adults and \$5 for kids under age 18, and \$5 per child for the **Kid Dash**. Register online at www.mothersetonschool.org T-shirt for 5k event only if registered by Oct. 30. Kid Dash and 1 Mile runners will receive a medal. For more information: www.mothersetonschool.org or email bridgemccarthy@hotmail.com.

Mother Seton School Gala

Saturday, November 6, 6 pm OLMC Parish Center
TICKETS NOW AVAILABLE. Come join the MSS Community for an elegant night of dinner, dancing, a live and silent auction, and many games of chance. This important fundraiser is a wonderful opportunity to kick off the holiday season. Please join us. \$60/ticket or reserve a table of 8 (\$55/ticket). Limited number of tickets available, so register now! For more information contact Laurie Szukalski at (301) 401-1405 or email LJSPR@aol.com or visit www.mothersetonschool.org.

Marriage, Divorce and Annulments from a Catholic Perspective

The Tribunal of the Archdiocese of Baltimore will be giving a presentation in our area concerning divorce and annulment from the Catholic perspective. This presentation will be helpful for divorced Catholics; those divorced who wish to marry Catholics, those parish leaders involved in the RCIA process and any others who may have a vested interest because of family or friends. This session will be held on **Thursday, October 28 at 7 pm at St. Timothy's** in the Seton Conference Room. *No prior registration is required.* For further info, call (410) 547-5533.

Choices of the Heart Vocation Retreat The Daughters of Charity Provincial House Emmitsburg, MD (next to Seton Shrine)

The Daughters of Charity are hosting a "**Choices of the Heart**" vocation retreat weekend **October 22 to 24**. Single Catholic women ages 18-40 interested in a vocation as a Sister are invited to attend. The retreat will be held at the Provincial House of the Daughters of Charity in Emmitsburg. For more information or to register please contact: Sr. Denise LaRock, D.C. at (410) 646-2074 or dcvoc@doc.org. or go to www.daughters-of-charity.com.

Mark Your Calendars

- Oct 17 - SAS Flea Market – 8 am SAS
- Oct 19 – KofC Social Night – 6:30 pm OLMC
- Oct 25 – Blood Drive – 2 pm OLMC
- Oct 25 – Finance Committee Mtg. – 7 pm SAS
- Nov 2 – Bring Your Own Craft – SAUH
- Nov 2 – All Souls Mass – 7:00 pm SAS
- Nov 13 – Cash Bash – 3-8 pm OLMC
- Nov 14 – Baptismal Prep Session – 1 pm OLMC
- Nov 16 – KofC Social Night – 6:30 pm OLMC
- Nov 23 – Pastoral Council Mtg. – 7 pm SAS
- Nov 24 – Thanksgiving Eve Mass – 7 pm SAS

Adult Faith Formation

Total Consecration to Mary

Fr. Frederick Miller and the Legion of Mary at Mount St. Mary's Seminary will be giving a series of talks about the Blessed Mother. They will also provide the necessary instruction to those interested in preparing for the Total Consecration to Mary according to St. Louis Marie de Montfort. Come to St. Anthony Schoolhouse at 7 pm on the dates indicated below to learn more about your spiritual mother. True Devotion to Mary books will be available for purchase (\$5.00).



- Monday, Nov. 1
- Monday, Nov. 8
- Monday, Nov. 15
- Monday, Nov. 22
- Monday, Nov. 29

Wednesday, Dec. 8 (Total Consecration to Mary at MSM's Seminary chapel)

Villa Maria of Frederick County

Please consider **designating Villa Maria of Frederick County**, our local program of **Catholic Charities**, when you make your **United Way contribution** this year. Our United Way is changing its allocation process so that programs like ours will soon, only be guaranteed money that contributors designate for that particular agency. Undesignated money will support the United Way, itself, and community impact grants that the United Way will disburse. Villa Maria – Catholic Charities needs your designation to continue to provide high quality mental health services to family who have no insurance.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Weekend of October 9 & 10, 2010

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

Attendance		130
Envelopes	(45)	1,079.00
Loose		586.20
Total		1,665.20
Poor Box		54.00
Propagation of the Faith		378.00

St. Anthony Shrine

Attendance		465
Envelopes	(55)	1,915.00
Loose		1,056.46
Total		2,971.46
Poor Box		145.00
Propagation of the Faith		698.40

From Barbara . . .

Persistence is a double-edged sword. We've all heard the adage "the squeaky wheel gets the grease." But we also know that sometimes persistence turns into nagging. God calls us to be persistent in our prayer and in our outreach to one another. Our persistence will be rewarded. Take time this week to pray in a persistent manner and make prayer a habit in your life.

For the last 2 weeks the bulletin has included communication from Archbishop O'Brien. He is asking us to seriously look at our parishes, the ministries we provide and how can we best serve the people of God. Our Pastoral Council will be discussing these 2 important questions:

1. Why are we doing what we are doing?
2. Why do our parishes exist?

Consider how you would answer these questions and share those answers with a member of the Pastoral Council or the parish staff. We will be developing opportunities for fuller parish discussions around these questions as we respond to the Archbishop's challenge.

On Saturday, October 23 at 2:00 pm at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish Center, the Lions Club will be holding their "Make a Difference Day" reception. This year's focus is on those affected by cancer. The mums that have been in both churches were donated by parishioners for loved ones who have suffered with cancer. Please consider attending this event to honor those who are struggling with this disease.

May God continue to bless us all.

Maryland Catholic Conference

Critical elections will be held this fall. "In the Catholic Tradition, responsible citizenship is a virtue, and participation in political life is a moral obligation." (*Faithful Citizenship*, 13) Learn about the issues, pray for guidance, and vote this fall. Visit Maryland Catholic Conference's website to view candidate survey responses and learn about key issues at www.mdathcon.org/elections.

Cash Bash

Saturday, November 13, 3 – 8 pm
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish Center

4 Drawing per Hour

1 st drawing	\$400
2 nd drawing	\$300
3 rd drawing	\$200
4 th drawing	\$100

8:00 pm Grand Prize \$3,000
(based on the 3-Digit MD Lottery)
You need not be present to win



Also available:

Games of chance & Tip jars
(No one under 18 can play the games)
Music by the *Backroads*

Tickets: \$25 per person
(includes food & refreshments)
Only one person admitted per ticket.
No tickets will be sold at the door.

Tickets are on sale at the parishes' office (located at St. Anthony's) for \$25. Either stop in the office or give us a call at (301) 447-2367.

All tickets sold and returned by 4:30 pm, October 13th, will be eligible for the \$100.00 Early Bird Drawing – to be held that day!

We need people to help sell tickets. Please call the office (301) 447-2367 if you are able to take a packet of 5 to sell or if you would be willing to sell tickets after the weekend Masses. Thanks we need your help to make this benefit a success for our parishes.



All Souls' Day Mass

The Liturgy Team of Our Lady of Mount Carmel and Saint Anthony Shrine Parishes invites you to a special celebration of the life and death of all the loved ones we have lost. A special Mass will be celebrated at St. Anthony's at 7 P.M. on All Souls Day, Tuesday, November 2nd, 2010, during which those who had their funeral at one of our parishes during this past year will be individually mentioned and remembered. If you have a picture of your loved one you would like to share for this occasion please drop it by the Church office and we will be sure it is displayed. Families and individuals are also welcome to attend this Mass in remembrance of babies who have been lost through miscarriage, stillbirth, and other pregnancy losses. We hope you and your family can join us to celebrate this day as we all remember our deceased loved ones. Please join us for refreshments and fellowship following the Mass.