Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church 120 Prospect Street, Nutley, New Jersey 07110 January 21, 2024



Our Lady of Mount Carmel Pray for Us 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Rev. Paciano A. Barbieto, S.T.L. *Pastor*

Deacon Aldo Antola *Retired Deacon* Sr. Mary Rose Conforto, MPF *Director of Religious Education* Amanda Andrade *Parish Administrative Assistant* Gerard Adubato Amanda Andrade *Board of Trustees*

Mass Schedule

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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.

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 - Thursday 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	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
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-	Baptisms
	We request parents attend a Baptism Instruction Session before the birth of their
(973) 661-1623	child. The Sacrament of Baptism is usually celebrated the third Sunday of each
Fax: (973) 667-0648	month, except during Lent (when we will not celebrate the sacrament until Easter).
Emails:	All Baptisms are scheduled in person at the rectory.
olmcnutley@optimum.net	Parish Membership
olmcreligion@optimum.net	All are welcome to join our Parish Family. Parish policy requires registration to
Website:	participate in Baptism, Marriage and Religion Classes. Please notify the office
www.olmc-nutley.org	when a change of address or move occurs.

<u>Mass Intentions</u>

Saturday	January 20	
8:00 a.m.	Raffaela Notari	
5:00 p.m.	Fernando Salvador	

Sunday January 21

7:30 a.m. Arlene H. McDevitt ~ *Birthday Remembrance*9:15 a.m. Donald F. Strimike
10:45 a.m. Teresita and Vicente Manalastas ~ *Wedding Anniversary*12:15 p.m. Gaudencio and Carmen Apolinario

Monday January 22

8:00 a.m. Angelo Picillo

Tuesday January 23

- 8:00 a.m. Juan Andres Truyol ~ *Birthday (living)*
- WednesdayJanuary 248:00 a.m.Louis DeBenedetto
- ThursdayJanuary 258:00 a.m.William A. Bradley
- FridayJanuary 268:00 a.m.Patricia Little ~ Birthday (living)

Saturday January 27

8:00 a.m.John Malcolm5:00 p.m.Ester Belleza

Sunday January 28

7:30 a.m.Frank Candiloro9:15 a.m.Frederick Rupp10:45 a.m.Lorraine Smith and Kathryn Pobuta12:15 p.m.Dan Spera



Prayers for Health Reasons

Delfina Alessio, Frank Alvarenga, Caren Angrisano, Anuscavage, Andrea Melissa Benimeo, Georae Berkovich, Dorothy Bogacz, Charles Brunnquell, Jesse Bruno, Eleanor Brush, Erlinda Cajigas, Rose Marie Candiloro, Rudolfo Clavecilla, Helen Cozzarelli, Marion Delano, 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, Rodrigo Magalong, Peter Maioriello, Cynthia McDevitt, Melanie McGowan, Eve McKay, Madeline Micael, Lawrence Miller, Carmela Moeller, Frances Nawolski, Karen Ann Niles, Jack Nitz, Karen P., Robert Palmer, Maria A. Penaranda, Evelyn Perry, Rosalie Petracca, Vincent Petracco, Anthony Petrillo, Simpmicia Ramirez, Richard Reidy, Albert Reves, 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 Wohlert, Dominick Zungri, Ramona Zungri

Mass Intentions

The 2024 Mass book is <u>FULL</u>. However, you can 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 <u>it</u> <u>is not an emergency</u>, 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 **January 21.** Please visit our website to read guidelines for Godparents and for a complete Baptismal Schedule.

Ceekly Collection

January 14: \$4,358

Parish Utilities: \$1,627 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

Baby Daniel Yanuzzi The Bread and Wine offering this week is in Honor and Memory of Deceased Members of the Verdiramo Family

Feast of the Conversion of St. Paul, the Apostle

January 25, 2024



St. Paul the Apostle was the greatest of the early Christian missionaries. He first appears in the Acts of the Apostles under the name of Saul. Saul was raised in the Jewish faith as a Pharisee trained in the strict

observance of God's Law. He believed the Law should be obeyed by himself and all Jews. Saul was upset by the early Christian Church, believing that the early Christians had broken away from their Jewish traditions. He actively persecuted the Church in Jerusalem. As the first Christian martyr Stephen was being stoned to death, Saul watched the cloaks of the persecutors (Acts 7:58).

Paul then traveled to Damascus to further persecute early Christians. On the road to Damascus Saul had an encounter with the Risen Jesus Christ (Acts of the Apostles 9:1–19, Galatians 1: 13–14). Jesus asked, "Saul, Saul, why are you persecuting me?" Paul replied, "Who are you, sir?" Jesus responded, "I am Jesus whom you are persecuting" (Acts 9: 4 – 5).

Jesus then sent Saul into Damascus to wait for further instructions. Saul was shaken and blinded by the experience. When a Christian named Ananias came and baptized Saul, his blindness went away. As a result of this encounter Saul became a follower of Christ. He was now convinced that fellowship with the risen Jesus Christ, not the observance of the Law, was all that was needed to receive God's promise of salvation. (Galatians 1:11–12; 3:1–5)

Saul, whose name now became Paul, went to Jerusalem to consult with Peter (Galatians 1: 18). After his first missionary journeys, Paul was called by Jesus to proclaim the Gospel to the Gentiles. He spent the rest of his life journeying on his missions, establishing local churches, and writing to them when he heard of their accomplishments and failures. Paul's letters are the earliest records of the life and history of the early Church. As inspired by the Holy Spirit, Paul's letters are part of the Canon of the New Testament. As a record of the happenings in the early Church they are an invaluable record of the expansion of Christianity.

At a Glance ...

January 27

Second Collection: Communicating God's Word

February 3

Blessing of the Throats 8:00 a.m.



<u>Pilgrimage ~ Fatima, Burgos, Lourdes, Assisi,</u> <u>Rome, Padre Pio</u>

May 20 – June 2, 2024

Portugal, Spain, France Italy

Tour Cost: \$4399.00

Included: Daily Mass, round trip airfare, 12 night accommodations at a first class hotel, daily breakfast and dinner, guided tours, sightseeing and admission fees, professional tour director, hotel taxes and service charges.

<u>NOT Included</u>: lunches, gratuity for guides and driver, personal expenses.

For information and registration please contact:

Genia Virtucio: 973-202-4488 Email: geniaYV@aol.com

Fr. Alex Barbieto: 973-908—5498

Lety Sauler: 973-704-1545

Please check the flyers on the bulletin boards for full details.

Religious Education



A complete Calendar of Classes is available on our website at:

www.olmc-nutley.org/religiouseducation

🞜 Choir ~ Music 🎜



olmcnutley@optimum.net.

We are currently looking for a music director to fill Andres' position. If you know of anyone that would be interested in a part ing joyfully to the Lord time music director position, please have them contact the church email at

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.

OLMC Website

Visit our website www.olmc-nutley.org to read updated information, 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!

Join Us For Our 2024 Gala Dinner & Celebration Mardi Gras!

Holy Family Church - 28 Brookline Ave., Nutley 973-667-0026

This year we are honoring our Pastor, Rev. Joseph A. Ferraro, K.H.S. Where: Nanina's in the Park When: Tuesday, February 13, 2024 **Time**: 6:00 - 11:00 PM Price: \$125.00; checks can be made payable to Holy Family Church. Details are on our website: holyfamilynutley.org, click "Parish Support," then "Mardi Gras Celebration".

Ioin 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.

Women's Auxiliary

The group meets the **second Monday of the month** at 1:00 p.m. Our next meeting will be on February 12. For more information call Linda, (973) 661-0090 or email at lkr160@aol.com. New members welcome!

2023 Tax Information



If you wish to receive a statement of your 2023 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 vour request to: olmcnutley@optimum.net.

Please do not call the rectory to request this information.

We will give you a call when your statement is ready.

We will not begin processing statements until Wednesday, January 24th.

Name: ______

Address: _____

Town/Zip: _____

Daytime Phone: _____

Email: _____

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Food Pantry



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. 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 Reguest

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.

Name: _____

Address:

City/Town:

Telephone:

□ New Registration □ Change of Address



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



ACCOUNTABILITY WITH HEARTFELT THANKS

Out with the old and in with the new" is a popular expression at this time of year. Would you be willing to clean out that closet or attic to help the many struggling members of our society? One way to do this is by donating any unwanted clothing, small appliances, shoes, linens, sheets, towels, stuffed animals, novels, toys, tools, children's books, and knickknacks to the Catholic Charities Donation Bin(s) located on the Church grounds. May your continued generosity brighten every day of the New Year. Thank you!