

# Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church

120 Prospect Street, Nutley, New Jersey 07110

October 1, 2023



*26<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
*Our Lady of Mt. Carmel*  
*Pray for Us*

Rev. Paciano A. Barbiato, S.T.L.  
*Pastor*

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

## Mass Schedule



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.

## Devotions

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Novena: Wednesday  
following the 8:00 a.m. Mass  
First Friday Adoration: 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 - 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  
(973) 661-1623  
**Fax:** (973) 667-0648

### **Emails:**

olmcnutley@optimum.net  
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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.

Mass Intentions

**Saturday**      **September 30**  
8:00 a.m.      Benjamin and Remedios Legaspi  
5:00 p.m.      Carolina S. Roc

**Sunday**        **October 1**  
7:30 a.m.      Thomas Delano  
9:15 a.m.      Normand Michaud  
10:45 a.m.     Jennie Natalizio  
12:15 p.m.     Edythe Bucciarelli

**Monday**       **October 2**  
8:00 a.m.      Edward DeFalcon

**Tuesday**      **October 3**  
8:00 a.m.      Judith Roccasanto

**Wednesday**   **October 4**  
8:00 a.m.      John Heller

**Thursday**      **October 5**  
8:00 a.m.      Ian Urbina ~ *Birthday Living*

**Friday**         **October 6**  
8:00 a.m.      Romulo Mendoza

**Saturday**      **October 7**  
8:00 a.m.      Iniego and Paulina Gonzales  
5:00 p.m.      Dennis Bronner Jr. ~ *Birthday Remembrance*

**Sunday**        **October 8**  
7:30 a.m.      Fernando Salvador  
9:15 a.m.      Emilie Esposito  
10:45 a.m.     Gaudencio and Carmen Apolinario  
12:15 p.m.     Rosemary DeLanzo



Prayers for Health Reasons

Delfina Alessio, Frank Alvarenga, Ariel Andrade, Caren Angrisano, Andrea Anuscavage, Melissa Benimeo, George Berkovich, Dorothy Bogacz, Charles Brunnquell, Jesse Bruno, Eleanor Brush, Erlinda Cajigas, Rose Marie Candiloro, Rudolfo Clavecilla, Ronald 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, Victoria Magalong, 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 Reyes, 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 Wohler, Dominick Zungri, Ramona Zungri

Mass Intentions

**2024 Mass book is now open.** Also, 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 **it is not an emergency**, 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 **October 15**. Please visit our website to read guidelines for Godparents and for a complete Baptismal Schedule.



Due to the publishers' deadline, the collection will be posted in a future bulletin.

*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

**Raffaela Notari**

The **Bread and Wine** offering this week is in Honor and Memory of

**Judith Roccasanto**

**Respect Life Sunday ~ October 1**

**What Is Respect Life Sunday?**

Each October the Church in the United States celebrates Respect Life Month, and the first Sunday of October is observed as Respect Life Sunday. As Catholics, we are called to cherish, defend, and protect those who are most vulnerable, from the beginning of life to its end, and at every point in between.

Radical solidarity compels us to come alongside vulnerable mothers in profound friendship, compassion, and support for both them and their preborn children. It requires us to address the fundamental challenges that lead an expectant mother to believe she is unable to welcome the child God has entrusted to her. We must do all we can to provide mothers, children, and families with the support they need to flourish. This cannot be accomplished by laws or policy alone, but requires the continual transformation of our own hearts."

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities Respect Life Reflection: "Radical Solidarity" ([respectlife.org/radical-solidarity-reflection](https://respectlife.org/radical-solidarity-reflection))

**Prayer for Radical Solidarity**

O Blessed Mother, at the angel's word you went in haste to the aid of your cousin Elizabeth. Although pregnant yourself, you placed her needs before your own.

By your example of radical solidarity, teach us to reverence and protect those in need, without conditions or expectations. Ask your Son to give us unflinching determination to witness to the profound dignity of every person, at every stage and in every circumstance.

In that first Eucharistic procession, you carried Jesus to Elizabeth in her time of need. Obtain for us the grace to bring Christ to any expectant mother who is alone and afraid.

May our support help them to find hope and strength in the Lord.

Amen.

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*At a Glance ...*

**October 7/8**

Second Collection: Parish Assessment

**October 8**

No Religious Education classes

**October 9**

Rectory Closed in Observance of Columbus Day

**Our Lady of the Rosary ~  
October 7**

The feast of Our Lady of the Rosary was instituted to honor Mary for the Christian victory over the Turks at Lepanto on October 7, 1571. Pope St. Pius V and all Christians had prayed the Rosary for victory. The Rosary, or the Psalter of the Blessed Virgin Mary, is one of the best prayers to Mary, the Mother of God.

Pope Benedict XVI invites all families to pray the Rosary for the intentions of the Pope, the mission of the Church and peace. "It is as if every year Our Lady invited us to rediscover the beauty of this prayer, so simple and profound." The Rosary, a "contemplative and Christocentric prayer, inseparable from the meditation of Sacred Scripture," is "the prayer of the Christian who advances in the pilgrimage of faith, in the following of Jesus, preceded by Mary," said the Pontiff.



## Religious Education



Meeting for all religious education parents is October 4<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. in the parish hall.

## ♪ Farewell to Andres Cardona ♪

Our music director, Andres Cardona will be leaving OLMC after 10 years of service.

Andres,

Thank you so much for your loving devotion providing our church with your beautiful music over the past ten years. We appreciate your dedication and willingness to serve the Lord through music. Good luck in your future parish!

On **Saturday, October 14<sup>th</sup>**, we will be having a small reception for Andres in the parish hall after the 5:00 p.m. Mass. Light refreshments will be served. All are welcome to attend!

We are currently looking for a music director to fill Andres' position. If you know of anyone that would be interested in a part time music director position, please have them contact the church email at [olmcnutley@optimum.net](mailto:olmcnutley@optimum.net).

## 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](http://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...*

### 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](mailto: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 in **October.** For more information call Linda, (973) 661-0090 or email at [lkr160@aol.com](mailto:lkr160@aol.com). New members welcome!

## New Pages



OLMC has a **new** Facebook and Instagram page! Search **Mount Carmel Church Nutley** on Facebook and **olmcnutleynj** on Instagram like and follow us to be up to date on church information! You can also email [ourladyofmtcarmelchurchnutley@gmail.com](mailto:ourladyofmtcarmelchurchnutley@gmail.com) if you would like to post something on one of those media platforms.

## Casino Bus Ride

The Women's Auxiliary is hosting another fun-filled bus ride!



**Where:** Caesar's Casino  
Hotel Atlantic City  
**When:** Wednesday,  
October 18<sup>th</sup>  
**Cost:** \$50 with \$20 slot  
return

The bus will depart from the church on Prospect St. at 9:00 a.m. Please park in the church lot. For reservations, call Linda 973-661-0090.

**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 Request**

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.

*I wish to register as a Parishioner of OLMC.*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/Town: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

New Registration       Change of Address

**Sharing God's Blessings Annual Appeal ~ 2023**

**Parish Goal 2023: \$24,861**

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. Will you join your brothers and sisters in Sharing God's Blessings? May God bless you for your generosity!

**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 \_\_\_\_\_



**What Makes You Feel "ALIVE"?**

There are perhaps as many answers as there are individuals reading this message. The autumn leaves with their beautiful array of distinctive colors foster an atmosphere which animates and enlivens us to enjoy the boundless delights of the fall season. Many people will not experience such delights due to impoverished conditions. Catholic Charities on a daily basis assists the underprivileged in society. Please help by contributing the following to the donation bin: used clothing, small appliances, shoes, linens, sheets, tools, towels, stuffed animals, novels, knickknacks, and children's books. Thank you.