

# Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



July 12, 2009

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Mon. 8AM + Lois Oshman  
 Tues. 8AM + Lois Oshman  
 Wed. 8AM + Connor Kohler  
 Thurs. 8AM Jane Kuchta  
 Fri. 8AM + Ruth Miller  
 Sat. 8AM + Mrs. Horning  
 5:30PM OLMC Parishioners  
 Sun. 7:30AM + Lucy Comotto  
 10:00AM Edward Wojnowski  
 12:00PM + Ray Dombrowski

In preparation for next week's liturgy, the readings are:

**1<sup>st</sup> Reading:** Jer. 23:1-6  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Reading:** Eph. 2:13-18  
**Gospel:** Mk. 6:30-34



*Please join us next weekend in celebrating the Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel!*

**Prayer Line :** Call 410-687-2686 or 410-391-1415



OLMC Perpetual Mass Association

**PLEASE REMEMBER THE SICK OF OUR PARISH IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

Catherine Altmeyer – Zenaida Bantolino – John Banz – Theresa Berry – Don Bonomo – Arthur Bonner – Joan Bonomo – Philip Brotzman – Christie Boucher – Anna Brown – Gilbert Chima – Marjorie Cody – Joseph Connelly – Catherine Dietz – Michael Dilutis – Clarence Doe – Shirley Fales – Allison Floyd – Phyliss Fowler – Margaret Fisher – William Fitzpatrick – Joann Gilbert – Antoinette Gorsuch – Joe Griffith – Donna Hackley – Louise Hepburn – Travis Hensley – Ben Hoffman – Travis Wayne Jackson – Joe Kalb – Rita Kalb – John Karl – Tom Karle, Sr. – Sandra Kraft – Sr. Catherine Krohe – Elise Lanahan – Tom Lantieri – Dorothea Lawson – Kevin Lester – August Mamolito – Rita Mamolito – Randy Mbuyi – Thomas John O'Mara – Judy Miller – Irene & Frank Oldewurtel – Angela C. Onukwuoha – Jeanne Ossie – Evelyn Parry – Jack Phillips – George Porcella – Joe Porcella – Anna Renault – Christine Roth – Jim Rushton – Maria Satterfield – Betty Sausnock – Frank Schwarzman, Jr. – Donald Stelmach – Eileen Smyth – George Sullivan, Sr. – Mildred Summers – Ken Szeliga – Zachery Temple – Andrew Tessier – Norman Tomkowski – Augusta Vienna – Regina VonUlrich – Mary Worthington – Bill Wrightson – Cathleen Zeilinger

The **Poor Box** next weekend will assist our Parish's general needs. Thank you for your ongoing support. It is tremendously appreciated!

*The Second Collection next weekend will go towards our Archdiocesan Propagation of the Faith. Thank you for your generosity.*

## FINANCE NEWS

**DID YOU KNOW:** Using **Faith Direct** saves the Parish money!!! Parishioners who use Faith Direct eliminate the need to have parish envelopes mailed. Faith Direct gives you a card that can be turned in on a weekly basis. Saving the parish money is GREAT!!!

**Due to the new Fiscal Year which began July 1<sup>st</sup>, our Finance Report will resume at the end of July. Thank you for your patience and understanding, not to mention your constant generosity!**



### *Organ Fund Update*

**Goal:** \$150,000

(To help defray cost of Organ, Painting of the Church, and Handicap Access)

Total collected to date \$ 80,091.18  
Total pledged to date \$ 28,320.00

## LITURGICAL – SPIRITUAL ITEMS



**Eucharistic Adoration of Our Lord** takes place in the Upper Church from 4:30-5:15 PM

every Saturday, prior to the celebration of 5:30 PM Mass. Confessions also take place at this time. Use the time and come quietly to adore our Lord. **Pray for more religious vocations** all over the world, especially from Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish.

**First Saturday Adoration:** Our Parish has begun **First Saturday** Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Adoration will begin after the 8 AM Mass. If you are interested in signing up for an hour of adoration, please call the Parish Office at 410-686-4972.

**Making a Visit to the Blessed Sacrament:** Anyone wishing to make a daily visit to the Blessed Sacrament may do so by going to the Parish Center weekdays, between

9 AM-12 Noon and 1 PM -6 PM, except on Fridays. Those hours will be from 9 AM-12 Noon and 1 PM-4 PM.

## OUTREACH – PASTORAL ITEMS

**Archbishop's Annual Appeal:** The telephone follow-up phase of the 2009 Archbishop's Appeal began on June 16, 2009 and will continue through the end of July 2009. This is a very important element of the Annual Appeal. It provides an opportunity for those who may have missed the Appeal mailings or the in-pew process to make a pledge or a one-time gift to this year's Appeal. Last year, this phase of the campaign produced pledges of \$150,000 from 1,077 Archdiocesan households. Please keep in mind that in addition to helping to supporting Archdiocesan ministries that serve thousands of people, our parish receives 25% of every dollar contributed up to our parish goal and 50% of every dollar paid after we reach our goal. The parish staff and Appeal Committee thank all of those who have already contributed and encourage those who are contacted by phone to make a generous pledge to the 2009 Archbishop's Catholic Appeal.

**July Anniversaries:** If you celebrate your wedding anniversary in the month of July, you are invited to a special wedding anniversary Mass on Saturday, July 25<sup>th</sup> at 8 AM in the Upper Church. There will be a special blessing for married couples and a light reception afterward. Please call the Parish Office (410-686-4972) if you would like to attend so that we can plan for you. Family members are always welcome!

*Evening Prayer: You are Invited!*

**As a Parish, we will soon begin praying the Catholic Church's Evening Prayer on Monday and Wednesday evenings. All are welcome.**



**Calling all Young Men (ages 12-17):** The Vocations Office and St. John, Severna Park have teamed up to offer another opportunity for young men to grow in their faith and learn more about a vocation to the priesthood! **Operation Genesis** is being held on July 21<sup>st</sup>, and is for young men aged 12-14. **Dare to Follow** is being held on July 23<sup>rd</sup>, and is for young men aged 15-17. Both events will run from 9 AM-5 PM. These days will feature sports, Mass, Adoration, food, and inspiring talks. The cost is free and includes lunch. For more information or to sign up, please contact the Vocation Office @ 410-547-5426 or [vocations@archbalt.org](mailto:vocations@archbalt.org).



**Congratulations** to those who will be joined in the sacrament of Matrimony during the month of July:

**Stacy Anne Stella & David Wayne Brunetti**  
**Bethany Childs & Liam Kelly**

## SCHOOL & RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

**Registrations for our Parish's Caring Place & Pre-K and Elementary School and High School are now being accepted for the 2009-2010 school year.** If you would like more information on any of our programs, please call the Elementary School @ 410-686-0859 and the High School @ 410-686-1023.

**Mount Carmel High School** will be celebrating its **50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary** during the 2009-2010 school year. We want to include **ALL alumni** in our events. If you have a new address or email address, or do not currently receive our mailings, please contact Laura Cummins in our

Alumni Relations Office to update your information @ 410-238-1163 or [lcummins@olmcmd.org](mailto:lcummins@olmcmd.org).

### From the Religious Education Office

Religious Education Program registrations for the 2009-2010 School Year are currently being accepted, grades Pre-K 4- 8<sup>th</sup>. Simply go to our Parish's website, [www.olmcmd.org](http://www.olmcmd.org) and click on the Religious Education tab and download the forms. Fill them out and return them with your fee, checks (\$80 for the whole year) made payable to OLMC, and return them to the Parish Center, marked: ATTN: Religious Education Office.

**If you would like to volunteer in our Religious Education program as a catechetical aide or catechist, please call 410-238-1167 for more information. Volunteers are needed and appreciated!**

## COMMUNITY & SOCIAL ITEMS



**Knights of Columbus:** Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism. Our Lady of Mount Carmel Council # 2452 invites Catholic gentlemen over the age of 18 to join us in practicing these virtues. If you have an interest, contact Herbert Kraft, Grand Knight, at 410-477-3230 or email at [kra472@aol.com](mailto:kra472@aol.com).

The **Catholic Alumni Club**, a social organization for professional Catholics, invites you to their fifth annual Single's Sunday with Fr. Joe Breighner. It will be held at St. Pius X Church on 6428 Youk Road, (next to WMAR Channel 2) at 3 PM. The topic will be "The Challenges and Blessings of Being Single." It is an enriching afternoon of inspiration, wit and wisdom. Dinner will follow at a local restaurant. For reservations for the dinner following the event only, call Mary at 410-979-7556 by July 11<sup>th</sup>. For information on this and other events that the Catholic Alumni Club has to offer call 410-580-1250 or email [info@cacbaltimore.org](mailto:info@cacbaltimore.org).

**Single?** Interested in meeting people and developing friendship? The Catholic Alumni Club, a social organization of professional single Catholics is looking for you. Our monthly activities include dinners, movies, cultural, picnics, dances, sports, religious, and charitable activities. For information call 410-580-1250 or email [info@cacbaltimore.org](mailto:info@cacbaltimore.org).

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If you know of someone who is **ill or home-bound**, please inform them to watch EWTN which daily has the following programs:

7:30 AM Rosary from the Holy Land  
8:00 AM Daily Mass  
11:30 AM Rosary with Mother Angelica  
12:00 PM Daily Mass  
3:00 PM Chaplet of Divine Mercy  
3:30 PM Rosary

Those who are ill or home-bound can also listen to WFBR, 1590 AM radio station:

11:15 AM Radio Rosary  
2:45 PM Radio Rosary

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**Going on vacation? Don't worry, God goes with you for He does not take a vacation from us!** God is always with you (Matt. 28:20). So should you be

traveling you can always locate a parish or mass time by calling 410-676-6000 or visit the [www.masstimes.org](http://www.masstimes.org) website. Please remember to continue to support your parish. We are always here, even in the summer.

**Calling ALL** former parishioners & students of St. Thomas More Parish: our 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration (2009-2010) will soon be happening. For details about the year's events, email us at [stmmail@churchstmore.net](mailto:stmmail@churchstmore.net) or call 410-444-6500 to have your name (include maiden)

and current address added to our mailing list.

### Catechism Corner

“By virtue of their Prophetic mission, lay people “are called...to be witnesses to Christ in all circumstances and at the very heart of the community of mankind.”

CCC. 942

**“Christ Reigns”  
Kansas City here  
we come!**



**Help send our high school youth to the National Catholic Youth Conference (NCYC) in November. You can do this by purchasing an “Eat in Essex” raffle ticket. The winner will enjoy gift certificates from Shoppers, Mars, Gersbecks, Schultz’s, Lady Francis, 7-11, Bacoli’s and more! Approximately a \$300 value!**

**Tickets are \$2 each or 3 for \$5. They will be available after all masses in July and August. They are also available at the Parish Center and High School Office. Thank you for supporting our Young People’s Faith!!!**

**Any student in grades 9-12 interested in attending this Conference can contact Missy Lawrence @443-552-8525. Please do so as soon as possible!**

**Thank you and God bless!**