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Monday, Wednesday & Thursday: 12 noon - 2 pm

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April 23, 2023 ~ Third Sunday of Easter

Mass and Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:00 pm Confessions; 5:00 pm Mass

Sunday: 8:00 am Mass, 10:00 am Mass, 2:00 pm Mass (en Español), 5:00 pm Mass

Weekdays:

Monday - 5:30 pm Mass

Tuesday - 9 am Mass

Wednesday - 5:00 pm Adoration and Confessions, 6:30 pm Mass

Thursday - 8:05 am (School Mass), Eucharistic Adoration 9 am ~ 6:30 pm,
5:30 pm Confesiones (en Español solamente); 6:30 pm Mass (en Español)

Thirst: Adoration and Praise (Monthly on the first Thursday 7:30 ~ 8:30 unless otherwise posted)

Friday - 7 am Mass

* Scheduled Mass times unless indicated on the Mass Intentions Calendar



Mass Intentions

Saturday, April 22, 2023

5:00 – +Christopher Sammons Jack & Ann Svelan

Sunday, April 23, 2023

8:00 – +Ann Brudzinski Patricia Goode

10:00 – +Linda Ellis Jim Ellis

2:00 – Int's of Margarita Rivera Hector Martinez

5:00 – +Bob Obradovic Dave & Eileen Mazary

Mon – (5:30pm) +Pat Clarke Ron & Pat Gorman

Tues – (9am) +Robert Obradovic Bonnie Tingle

Wed – (6:30pm) +Jeff & Kathey Shelton Family

Thur – (8:05am) Int's of Elli Miller Lusk & Alexia Gonzalez
OLMC School

(6:30pm) The People of the Parish

Fri – (7am) +Dennis Rapp Maureen Coon

Saturday, April 29, 2023

5:00 – +Don & Barbara Kuse Cheryl Benkowski

Sunday, April 30, 2023

8:00 – Int's of Thomas & Madison Hogan

10:00 – +Linda Ellis Lucy Oliver

2:00 – The People of the Parish

5:00 – +Cathy Hoffmaster Lucy Oliver

Weekly Collections

April 1 & 2

\$28,593 (E-Giving \$10533, Sunday \$18060)

Easter Offertory

\$43,054 (E-Giving \$23122, Sunday \$19932)

April 15 & 16

\$28,686 (E-Giving \$9330, Sunday \$19356)

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Our Lady of Mount Carmel School

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Principal: Sr. Anna Joseph, O.P.

Initiation Programs and Adult Formation

Welcome to OLMC!

If you are new to the parish, welcome, we're glad you're here! There are multiple ways to grow in faith here at OLMC. We have an ongoing **Women's Bible Study** on Thursday mornings, starting at 9 am.

All women of the parish are welcome, contact Cristy at cbarton@olmc.org for more information.

Small Groups

Small groups are life changing – join one at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church this fall! Our small groups offer men and women an opportunity to pray, study and grow in their faith together. Small groups journey together in discipleship. To learn more about being a part of a small group or to receive training to start a small group find us online at olmc.org.

Men's Ministry



Saturday Mornings, 7am - 8:30am
at Saint Michael Hall

Register at tinyurl.com/TMIYolmc, call the Parish Office at 757-595-0385, or use the QR code



Walking With Purpose ~ Enabling Women to know Christ through Scripture

****New Study:****

Reclaiming Friendships meets on **Fridays** from **1-2:30 PM** at Saint Michael Hall Room A. It's not too late to sign up, invite a friend! Register at olmc.org

Ordering Your Priorities is the next study **if you have already done Opening your Heart**. This study takes place on **Wednesdays**, at **7pm** at Saint Michael Hall (room C). It's not too late to register, invite a friend! Register online at olmc.org

For more information contact Cristy at ext. 131 or cbarton@olmc.org



Adult Confirmation

Are you an active practicing Catholic adult who “missed” participating in the Sacrament of Confirmation? We invite you to enter the process of preparation at the parish. **A new 6 week session has just begun, please contact Cristy at ext. 131 or cbarton@olmc.org for more information.**



Have you been away from the active practice of your Catholic faith?

Would you like to feel more connected with your childhood faith or learn more about it as an adult? Consider attending the Awakening Faith Series.

Awakening Faith – Reconnecting with Your Catholic Faith is a small group process that helps inactive Catholics return to the Church. The group meets once a week for six weeks of conversation and socializing. The conversations are based on short, easy to read essays about spirituality, Jesus, the Holy Spirit, God's mercy, the Mass, and the Church.

The meetings foster reflection, prayer, and honest sharing in a setting of hospitality and acceptance. A small community is formed and over the six weeks becomes a bridge to the larger Church community.

We can assist your return to the active practice of your faith and welcome you back to the Lord's Table.

Schedule a quick meeting with Cristy Barton at ext. 131 or cbarton@olmc.org for more information.



Pastoral Care

Pastoral Care

Will you consider serving one Sunday a month at one of our nursing/rehab communities? We have a current need for two new ministers. Training is provided.

The faithful who are ill are often separated from their place in the Eucharistic community. **The Pastoral Care Minister** represents Christ by bringing **Holy Communion and sacred scripture to the sick**, and in so doing, reflects the love and support of the Eucharistic community of Our Lady of Mount Carmel Catholic Church. The Pastoral Care Ministry to the Sick is carried out by our priests, deacons and lay pastoral care ministers.



The Pastoral Care Ministry at Our Lady of Mount Carmel is an **outreach** to those who are:

- Home Bound
- Living in Nursing Homes or Assisted Living Facilities
- Hospitalized
- Receiving Rehabilitation
- Grieving the loss of a loved one through the Bereavement Ministry

Please contact Christa at the parish office to inquire about Pastoral Care for yourself or a loved one or to offer your service.

SEASONS OF HOPE – Catholic Grief Support

Register now and join us on Tuesday, May 2, 2023

A 6-week faith sharing group for those who mourn.
Tuesdays from 10am-11:30am at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church.

When you or someone you care about is suffering from the loss of a loved one, the process of grieving is a natural part of healing. Grief, however natural, can be intense and experienced in very individual ways. It is sometimes hard to know, “Is what I’m going through ‘normal’ or natural?”

Seasons of Hope offers a safe and understanding environment for adults whose loved one has died. Seasons of Hope, rooted in Catholic tradition, conveys God’s consolation through scripture, prayer, reflection and sharing our faith. Seasons of Hope meets for six consecutive weeks.

Are you grieving the loss of a husband, wife, son, daughter, parent or other loved one?

To register contact Christa at the Parish Office or at cblomstrom@olmc.org.



Nourish for Caregivers – Monthly on the first Wednesday

Join us on Wednesday, **May 3, 2023 at 6:30 pm** at Saint Michael Hall

This month’s topic: Realities of Stress and Learning to Cope

www.nourishforcaregivers.com

Are you handling stress well? Find out! We’ll use tools to measure actual levels and discuss practical ways to reduce it. The physical and emotional strains of caregiving can place you at higher risk for memory problems, heart disease and depression. Can faith, worry and stress co-exist? Be nourished. Contact Christa at ext 107 or cblomstrom@olmc.org for more information.

Circle of Hope – Monthly on the first Saturday

Join us on Saturday, **May 6, 2023 at 10:30 am** at Saint Michael Hall

HOW BEST CAN WE PRAY FOR YOU?

Are you going through or have gone through a health issue, cancer diagnosis, or chronic illness?

Come join a **Catholic faith-based, spiritually uplifting group of OLMC men and women** who gather on the first Saturday of every month for fellowship, prayer and support. We learn how Jesus, Our Blessed Mother Mary, and our Saints all give us a perfect example of how to persevere during difficult times.

You’re invited to **come join our prayer and fellowship with us over refreshments.**

Contact Christa at 757-595-0385 x107 or cblomstrom@olmc.org for more information.



CHRIST IS RISEN INDEED HE IS RISEN

Total Reliance on God

Jesus frequently urged his disciples and the crowds — and He urges us — to live our lives for God and rely on Him for what we need in this life.

Let the children come to me...for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these. Amen, I say to you, whoever does not accept the kingdom of God like a child, will not enter it.

Lk 18:16b-17

Do not worry about your life... Can any of you by worrying add a single moment to your life-span?...Do not worry about tomorrow; tomorrow will take care of itself. Sufficient for a day is its own evil.

Mt 6:25, 27, 34

But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness and all these things will given you besides.

Mt 6:33

Indeed, the intimate prayer Jesus gave us invites us to approach God as a child approaches a father. To first praise His name and urge the fulfillment of His will. That includes God's plan for our lives. And then, to rely on the Father for all that we will need that day in order to do His will. Try praying the Lord's prayer with the earnestness of a child who trusts her father and only wants to please him.

In this, we would do well to adopt the attitude of our poor and vulnerable neighbors. Frequently, in each of the Outreach ministries, we are blessed by witnessing the faith of our clients, when they affirm that God is in control and that He will provide, whether that is through OLMC or by another way. Most humbling is when you can hear that their hearts are not convinced of what, by faith, they know to be true.

The faith of necessity and of experience.

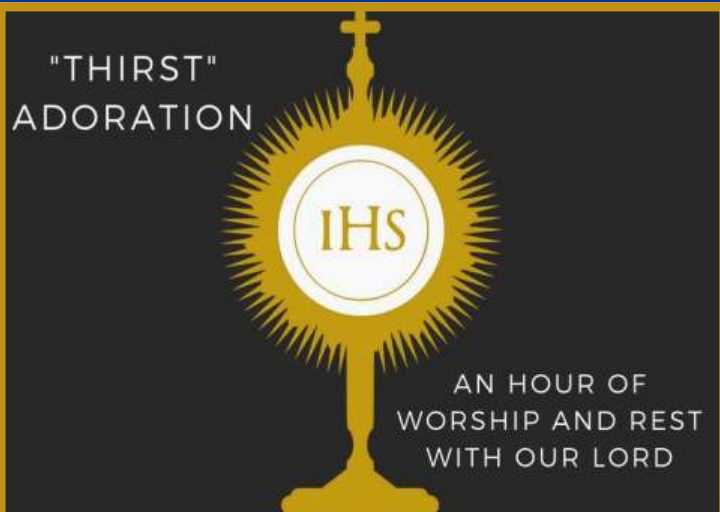
Please continue to pray for the needs of our neighbors, seeking also the grace to rely more fully on God in your own life.

Pantry Needs: Italian week: pasta sauce, pasta shapes (not spaghetti) and diced tomatoes. As always, chicken helper.

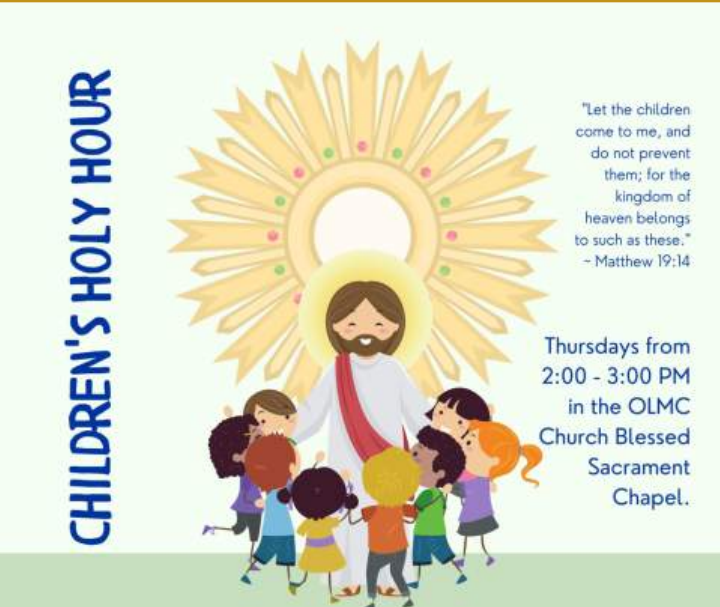
Personal item of the week: body lotion.

PLEASE DO NOT DROP OFF CLOTHES OR HOUSEHOLD ITEMS

Contact: Kim Taylor
ktaylor@olmc.org or 757-595-0385 ext. 118



Thirst: Adoration & Praise will take place on Thursday, May 4th from 7:30 pm ~ 8:30 pm in the Church.



Ministerio Hispano

Director - **Diácono Francisco Anleu**
Oficina - (757) 595-0385 Ext. 123
Email - fanleu@olmc.org

Misas en Español: Domingos 2:00 PM, Jueves 6:30 PM

Confesiones: Sábados, 3 PM, Miércoles, 5 PM,
Jueves 5:30 PM en Español solamente



¿Reconoces a Cristo en tu vida y esperas darlo a conocer a otros? Quizás estas siendo llamado al sacerdocio o a la vida consagrada. Llame al Padre Brian Capuano al 804-359-5661 o envíe un correo electrónico a: vocations@richmonddiocese.org.

Community

SAVE THE DATE FOR THE LADIES OF CARMEL GARAGE SALE!

The Ladies of Carmel Garage Sale will be held on Saturday, July 22 from 7:30 - 11:30 in the OLMC School cafeteria and gym.

Start saving your donations and check the bulletin in the coming weeks for more details!



Meals on Wheels is looking for volunteers to help with meal delivery during the week (Monday through Friday). Delivery takes about two hours a day. If you are interested, please call 757-246-1903.

Spring Cleaning Reminder

The parish library has a significant number of overdue and missing books. Please promptly return any parish library books that you happen to have on hand, unless they were properly checked out and are not yet due for their return. Thank you!



Join **Our Lady's Prayer Group** to pray the rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy the last Saturday of every month from 9:00am to 10:30 am in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel. Bring your Intentions.

TROOP 242B & TROOP 242G JOIN THE ADVENTURE

We are open to boys and girls age 11-17. We meet at the pavilion behind the Knights of Columbus Newport News on Wednesdays from 7-8:30pm. This is an active Scout-led Troop with monthly weekend camping!

For more information contact:

Wayne Grieme
Scoutmaster 242B
wcgrieme1988@gmail.com

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Scoutmaster 242G
kristenhynes9@gmail.com



The **Greater Hampton Roads Cursillo** Community is hosting Men's and Women's weekends in the coming months:



Women's English Cursillo

October 26-29, 2023

Men's English Cursillo

October 12-15, 2023

Women's Spanish Cursillo

June 22-25, 2023

Men's Spanish Cursillo

August 17-20, 2023

For more information contact:

Paula Krewinghaus at paulakrew@gmail.com
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