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## **Parish Office Hours:**

Monday - Thursday: 9 am - 5 pm

Friday: 9 am - 3 pm

**Outreach Office Phone:** 757-596-1727

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Monday, Wednesday & Thursday: 12 noon - 2 pm

Tuesday & Friday: 9 am - 11 am

**Pregnancy Helpline:** 757-870-3131

## 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**



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**Saturday, April 12, 2025**

5:00 – +Sandy Smith      Maureen Coon  
& Kathleen Rapp

**Sunday, April 13, 2025**

8:00 – +Peter & Gemma Cho      St Valentine Guild  
10:00 – +Kathy Nowinsky      St Martha Guild  
12 CNU – +Cecilia Elizabeth Long      Jake & Courtney Long  
2:00 – The People of the Parish  
5:00 – +Wanda Easterday      Tanya Cheney

Mon – (5:30pm) **No Mass**

Tues – (9am) +Thomas McGuigan      Chris & Patty Ford

Wed – (6:30pm) +Ron & Ethelann Ponzo      Family

**Holy Thursday, April 17, 2024**

**Good Friday, April 18, 2024**

**Holy Saturday, April 19, 2024**

**Easter Sunday, April 20, 2024**

8:00 – Int's of Lauren Collins Champion      Brian McCormick  
10:00 – +Linda Ellis      St Elizabeth Guild  
CNU Noon – +Kerry Southworth      The Sommer Family  
2:00 – The People of the Parish  
5:00 – **No Mass**

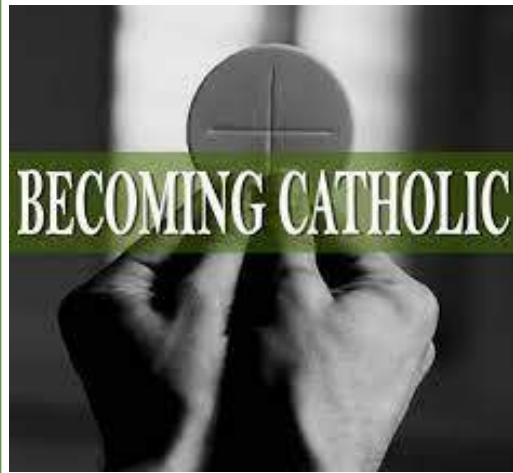


**Altar Flowers**

Flowers for the Church may be given as memorials for a loved one or special occasion. To schedule a memorial floral gift, please call Eileen, ext. 116 at least two weeks in advance of the date you wish.

The suggested donation to cover the cost is \$100.

## Initiation Programs for Adults



*Are you or anyone you know interested in exploring the Catholic Church as your church home?*

*Have you been sitting in the pew next to your Catholic spouse for years wondering what you have to do to become Catholic?*

If so, join us for a time of prayer, reflection, study, faith sharing, discernment and participation in the life of the parish. This process is for adults and children (age 7-17) who have never been baptized, those who were baptized in another faith tradition, or those who were baptized Catholic and seek full initiation.

Contact Lisa Wienhoff at [lwienhoff@olmc.org](mailto:lwienhoff@olmc.org) for more information.



*Adult Confirmation (adults 18+)*

STILL NOT CONFIRMED?

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*Classes have begun, contact Lisa for more information*

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## Adult Faith Formation

**Adult Faith Study** ~ All adults of the parish are welcome!

**Metanoia, Journey with Christ Into Conversion**

Thursdays 1-2pm Saint Michael Hall

Metanoia is beautifully filmed on location in the Holy Land, highlighting sacred places, such as the Sea of Galilee, the River Jordan, the Desert of Temptations, and many other holy sites in Jerusalem.

Each week we explore areas of life where conversion is so often necessary. Along with the message from Father Dave, Metanoia shares personal testimonies from men and women of all ages and vocations. Their stories inspire and encourage an encounter with Jesus and the new life He is constantly inviting us to. Join us for the most important journey of life, one of grace, hope, repentance, and transformation: the journey of Metanoia.

Register online at [olmc.org](http://olmc.org) or contact Lisa for more information, [lwienhoff@olmc.org](mailto:lwienhoff@olmc.org) or (757)595-0385 ext 131.



Women's Spring Social  
All women of the parish are welcome!  
Saint Michael Hall  
Wednesday, April 30th after 6:30 Mass  
Come enjoy light fare and fellowship!



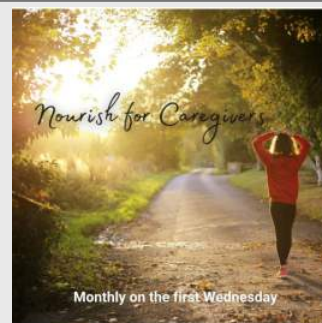
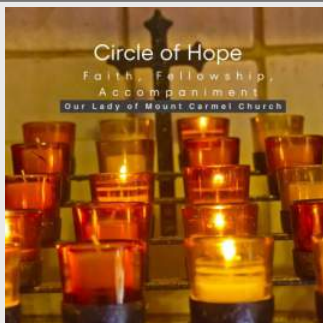
**That Man is You (TMIY)** honestly addresses the pressures and temptations that men face in our modern culture, especially those relating to their roles as husbands and fathers. The program harmonizes current social and medical science with the teachings of the Church and the wisdom of the saints to develop the vision of man fully alive!

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

**ALL MEN OF THE PARISH ARE WELCOME!**

Register online at [olmc.org](http://olmc.org). Contact Lisa Wienhoff at 757-595-0385 ext. 131 or [lwienhoff@olmc.org](mailto:lwienhoff@olmc.org) for more information.

## Pastoral Care



**Circle of Hope** is a Catholic faith-based, spiritually uplifting group of men and women who are going through or have gone through a health issue, cancer diagnosis, or suffer chronic illness. We gather on the **first Saturday of every month** for fellowship, prayer and support. **Newcomers are always welcome.**

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion for the Sick and Homebound** bring the grace and healing power of the Holy Eucharist to parishioners who are sick or homebound and not able to attend Mass either regularly or temporarily.

**Emmaus Journey for Grieving Parents** is a spiritual retreat for parents whose child(ren) of any age have died by any cause, no matter how long ago. The Emmaus Journey is a daylong retreat that offers a safe place where you can find peace, comfort and hope. Visit our website for upcoming dates and registration.

**Funeral Ministries** support families through our hospitality and usher teams. The hospitality ministry provides food and refreshments for families and friends following the funeral liturgy of a loved one. Ushers serve at the funeral liturgies. These ministries take little time but provide much consolation to families.

**Nourish for Caregivers** connects family caregivers with others with similar circumstances, and provides practical and emotional supports with a Christ-centered view. We gather monthly on Wednesday evenings. All are welcome.

**OLMC Van Drivers** ensure that lack of transportation is never a barrier to attend Holy Mass. Our volunteer drivers extend the warmth of our faith and foster connection within our parish community. Our team of dedicated volunteer drivers transport folks to and from the 10:00am Mass on Sundays.

**Seasons of Hope** offers a safe and compassionate 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. This grief support small group is offered seasonally, visit our website for upcoming dates and registration.

**SPRED (Special Religious Development)** prepares adults with intellectual disabilities to fully belong in the liturgical life of the parish. Adults with and without disabilities come together to share a one-on-one relationship and to form a small faith group. SPRED fosters and nourishes spiritual and personal growth.

**Contact Christa at [cblomstrom@olmc.org](mailto:cblomstrom@olmc.org) or call the parish office for more information about Pastoral Care.**



## Social Ministry

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Our Lady of Mount Carmel's Office of Social Ministries directly responds to the call of Jesus to feed the hungry, give shelter to the homeless, care for the orphan and widow in their distress, and to assist the poor and vulnerable right here in our own Newport News community .

### Pantry Sorters

This ministry is a good fit for families looking to be involved in ministry together.

The Pantry Sorter ministry involves:

- Volunteering once a week on an 8 week rotation
- Approximately 208 hours of service per year
- Moving food donations from the Commons to the Food Pantry
- Sorting and organizing the food onto the pantry shelves

### Outreach Office

This ministry is a good fit for those with daytime availability. Ministry needs are Monday, Wednesdays, and Thursdays from 12-2pm and Tuesday and Friday from 9 to 11am, you can help on the day(s) that works best for you. Some volunteers work once a week, some once a month, and many work somewhere in between the two.

Parishioners can volunteer to help in many ways:

- Answering Phones
- Interviewing Clients/Preparing Food Bags
- Calling Clients Back

You can help as little or as much as you want.

### Pregnancy Outreach

OLMC is pro-life. In addition to pro-life advocacy and preaching, we actively serve women, men, and families facing unplanned pregnancy in order to help them make the decision for life. This ministry is best staffed with women. We have opportunities for daytime or evening hours. This is a ministry of celebrating life.

Parishioners can volunteer to help in many ways:

- Assist in sorting and putting away baby clothes when seasons
- Assist during appointments
- Help with answering the 24 hour pregnancy Helpline

### Opportunities with One-Time Events

These are ways you can serve without the commitment of a long term project – consider it a one and done. As these events come up specific need and contact information will be available in the bulletin. Serving in this way is equally as important as a long term commitment.

**For more info contact Kim Taylor at the parish office.**

## Liturgy

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**Good Friday, April 18<sup>th</sup>**

12pm, noon ~ English

Remember your loved ones this Easter Season by sponsoring an Easter Flower used to decorate the church.

Place your **donation of \$15** in the offertory basket or mail it to the parish office, be sure to include the name(s) of your loved ones.

**Donations must be received by Monday, April 14th.**

For more information contact Eileen at ext 116 or email [emazary@olmc.org](mailto:emazary@olmc.org)

## Ministerio Hispano

**Director - Diácono Francisco Anleu**

**Oficina - (757) 595-0385 Ext. 123, Email - [fanleu@olmc.org](mailto: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

### Bautismo Infantil

Los bautizos de infantes se llevan a cabo el cuarto domingo de cada mes. Los padres deben asistir a una breve clase de bautismo antes de bautizar a su bebé. Las clases de bautismo se llevan a cabo en el Salón San Miguel de 9:30 a 11:30 horas en las siguientes fechas:

10 de Mayo

14 de Junio

12 de Julio

9 de Agosto



Para obtener más información, comuníquese con la señorita **Elizabeth Kassel** en la oficina parroquial, **757-595-0385** o envíele un correo electrónico a **[ekassel@olmc.org](mailto:ekassel@olmc.org)**.

## Holy Week Mass Schedule

**April 17<sup>th</sup>**

### Holy Thursday

Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper  
7pm, Adoration until 10pm

**April 18<sup>th</sup>**

### Good Friday

Liturgy of the Lord's Passion  
3pm (en Español), 7pm (English)

**April 19<sup>th</sup>**

### Holy Saturday

Easter Vigil in the Holy Night  
8pm

**April 20<sup>th</sup>**

### Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

8am  
10am  
noon at CNU  
2pm (en Español)  
**no Sunday 5pm**

**Monday, April 21<sup>st</sup>**

**no Mass**

**Tuesday, April 22<sup>nd</sup>**

**no Mass**

**Wednesday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>**

**Confessions/Adoration 5pm, 6:30 Mass**

**Thursday, April 24<sup>th</sup>**

**No 8am Mass  
6:30pm (en Español)**

**Friday, April 25<sup>th</sup>**

**9am**

**\*Parish Offices will be closed Thursday, April 17<sup>th</sup> through Wednesday, April 23<sup>rd</sup> and will reopen on Thursday, April 24<sup>th</sup>.**



## Blessed Holy Week

**Join OLMC School in praying for our priests during this most holy of weeks.**

Gracious and loving God, we thank you for the gift of our priests. Through them, we experience your presence in the sacraments.

Help our priests to be strong in their vocation. Set their souls on fire with love for your people.

Grant them the wisdom, understanding, and strength they need to follow in the footsteps of Jesus... We ask this through Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns as our Eternal Priest. Amen.

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