30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 24 & 25, 2009

This Week in our Parishes

Saturday, October 24th

4:00 pm, Mass – SAS (+Mark, John & Johnny Carson)

Sunday, October 25th Ordinary 30

7:00 am, Mass – SAS (+Clara Mae Shindledecker)
8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (L&D Parishioners)
9:15 am, Religious Education Classes – TMS
9:30 am, Youth Mass & Confirmation Ritual – SAS (+Sr. Joan Maenner)
11:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Helen Chelchowski)
6:30 pm, Youth Ministry Music Practice – OLMC

Monday, October 26th

8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Roger C. Finneyfrock) 9:00 am, Mom' Group – SAS Schoolhouse 2:00 pm, Blood Drive – OLMC Parish Center 3:00 pm, Eucharistic Adoration – OLMC

Tuesday, October 27th

8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Thomas Fry, Sr.) 7:00 pm, First Reconciliation Parents' Mtg. - SAS

Wednesday, October 28th

No Morning Mass 7:00 pm, RCIA – SAS Upper Hall

Thursday, October 29th

8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (Dec. Mbrs. Of Sprecher and Thomas Families)
6:15 pm, Adult Choir Practice – SAS Church
6:30 pm, Handbell Practice – OLMC Parish Center
6:30 pm, YOGA – SAS Upper Hall

Friday, October 30th

7:30 am, Morning Prayers – OLMC 8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (Int. Sr. Mary Hyde, SND) 7:00 pm, SMAC! Halloween Party – SAUH

Saturday, October 31st

4:00 pm, Mass – SAS (+Mark, John & Johnny Carson)

Sunday, November 1st All Saints

Second Collection – Buildings and Grounds 7:00 am, Mass – SAS (+George Kramer) 8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Michael Cornejo) 9:15 am, Religious Education Classes – TMS

Sunday, November 1st Continued

9:15 am, Confirmation Class - TMS 9:30 am, Mass – SAS (L&D Mbrs of Bob & Dot Maze Family and Katherine Beard) 11:00 am, Y.M. Mass – OLMC (L&D Parishioners)

<u>All Saints</u> October 31 & November 1

Scripture Readings for Mass First Reading ~ Revelation 7:2-4,9-14/667 Responsorial ~ Ps. 24:1bc-2,3-4ab,5-6 Second Reading ~ 1 John 3:1-3 Gospel ~ Matthew 5:1-12a

Our Ministry of Prayer

Please remember in prayer the intentions written in our Book of Prayer located in each Church and the Parish Center entrance area. We also remember those persons who have requested prayers through the prayer chain.

Please remember in prayer the following parishioners who are in nursing care facilities:

Marie KrepsÄnna LittleJustine MayerRay HorstLorraine Wivell

Also, please remember the following parishioners

in prayer:

Francis Bittle JoAnn Cannada Grace Crotts Joan Fink Doris Glass Ray Horst Peggy Kauffman Jeanette Massena Rosemary McDermott Dolores Munafo Rita Priest Mary Reckley Francis Smith Robert Smith Lorraine Wivell Dorothy Burkard Dick Cool Jack Dillon Ethel Fitzgerald Daniel Hartke Bob Kaas Michelle Keegin Bob Maze Karen Mills Tony Newman Charles Putman Elfriede Ridenour Margaret Smith Carroll Wivell



For Prayer Requests

please call the Parish Office at (301) 447-2367 or Linda McCauley at (301) 271-7561.

Altar Flowers

this weekend for OLMC Parish Center were donated in loving memory of *Margaret Rathvon* and *Rebecca Rathvon* by *Norman Rathvon* and *family.*



High School Youth Ministry

Win a free ticket to Hershey Park in the Dark!

Submit your idea for a new name for the High School Youth Ministry Group. Ideas due to Lori Carter by 10/16/09. If your name is chosen, you will receive free admission to Hershey Park!

Hershey Park in the Dark! - 10/25/09

Leave SAS at Noon and return at 9:00 pm. \$20 per person. Adult drivers needed. RSVP to Lori Carter by Friday 10/16.

Journey to the Eucharist - 11/1/09

Walk from the Grotto to the Shrine to celebrate Elizabeth Ann Seton's Bicentennial. Meet at Grotto at 4:30 p.m. Pick up at Basilica at 8:00 pm. RSVP to Lori Carter by Friday, 10/2.

Fan the Fire - 11/14/09

St. Joseph's Church in York will hold their annual youth rally. Theme is "Today is the Day!" Adult drivers needed. Leave SAS 8:00 am & return 9:30 pm RSVP to Lori by Friday, 10/2.

For information on High School Youth Ministry

Events or to volunteer contact: Lori Carter (301) 271-4050 kpltcarter@comcast.net.

Y.M. Music Practices

for students in grades 6 - 12 are held Sunday evenings 6:30 - 8:00 pm in the OLMC Parish Center.

Upcoming practices are scheduled for:

October 25, November 15 & 22 A Pizza social will follow the practices.

^S ^A _M ^C Youth Ministry News

All **6**th, **7**th and **8**th grade parishioners are invited to the next **SMAC** meeting on **Friday**, **November 6**th from 7:15 to 8:45 pm in the old Schoolhouse at St. Anthony's. Don't miss the fun, food and friends! *For information call Mike Miller at (301) 271-9871.*

^S ^A ^C ^I Calendar of Events
Oct 30 – Halloween Party – 7:00 pm SAS Hall
Nov 6 – SMAC Meeting – 7:15 pm SASH
Nov 8 – Ropes Course – 1:00 pm MSM Univ.
Nov 15 – Roller Skating – 1:00 pm Cosmic
Nov 21 – Movie Night – 7:00 pm SAS Hall
Dec 4 – SMAC Meeting – 7:15 pm SASH
Dec 13 – Visit Sisters & Pizza Party – 2:00 pm Villa of St. Michael & Pizza Hut

Peace & Social Justice Committee

an education and action ministry

October

31st Prayer vigil at Frederick abortion clinic 12:00 pm to 4:00pm

40 Days for Life

This fall, from September 23rd through November 1st, our faith community will participate in a nationwide, ecumenical prayer event to end abortion. The campaign will include three components:

Prayer and Fasting: We are invited to join together for 40 days of fervent prayer and fasting for an end to abortion.

Peaceful Vigil: Volunteers are invited to pray peacefully outside of the abortion clinic in Frederick. We are scheduled to pray at the vigil on 3 Tuesdays and 1 Saturday. Volunteers are asked to sign up for one hour blocks of time.

Community Outreach: The pro-life message will be promoted through media efforts and public visibility.

To volunteer or participate in any activities, please contact Deacon John Hawkins at (301) 271-2194 or <u>JHawkins@archbalt.org</u>.

"This is my commandment: love one another as I love you." John 15:12

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Peace & Social Justice Meeting

Plan to attend our annual planning meeting on **Sunday, November 1st** at **OLMC** at **7:00 pm**. We will review, recruit and plan for our various ministries that include the CASS Back to School Supply Drive, Frederick Rescue Mission, Adopt A Family, Haiti School Lunch Project, Food Bank, Respect Life and our newest Bible Study Ministry at the Victor Cullen Center. *All ideas, hopes and dreams are welcome*.

Thurmont Walk 2009 A Walk for Hunger and Human Needs Sunday, November 1

Coordinated by Graceham Moravian Church and Elementary Youth Group. Sponsored by The Thurmont Ministerium. 50% of the funds raised will be given to the Thurmont Food Bank and 50% to the Thurmont Ministerium. **Meet at 1:30 pm the Thurmont Senior Citizens Center**. For information, contact Pastor Jeff Gehris or Joanne Fuss, DCE at (301) 271-2379. Thank you.

Welcome to our Newest Member



Adalynn Elizabeth Mucker, daughter of Eric & Marianne Mucker, Baptized October 25, 2009

Baptismal Preparation Classes

Congratulations to all new parents. If you are planning to have your baby baptized, please contact the parish office to register for the baptismal preparation class. Parents and godparents are invited to attend. The next class will be Sunday, November 8, at 1 pm at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel in the church. The class is expected to last about one hour. If you have any guestions, please call Barbara at the parish office (301) 447-2367.

Lectors

Please pick up your copy of the "Workbook for Lectors and Gospel Readers" for Cycle C from the Sacristy and check your name off of the list as you do so. Thank you.

Attention Liturgical Ministers

The Archdiocesan Office of Worship is offering 2 opportunities for liturgical ministers. The first is a listening session for liturgical ministers to share needs and hopes for the Office of Worship. This will be held on Wed., Nov. 4 at 7 pm at St. Peter, Libertvtown.

The **second** is a workshop of liturgical ministers on Sat., Nov. 14 from 9am-3pm at Church of the Resurrection in Ellicott City. Fr. J. Glenn Murray will be the keynote speaker and there will be breakout sessions according to liturgical function.

Please consider attending these enriching events.

Memorial Flowers

Would you like the flowers at our weekly masses to be in honor of a loved one? If you want to make a memorial donation for weekly flowers, please contact Diane at the parish office. We will make arrangements to order the flowers unless you want to specifically do that. We have a standing order for flowers at Our Lady of Mount Carmel but your donation will help defray our costs. We will acknowledge your loved one in the bulletin for that week. If you want a specific date Diane can arrange that. We do not order flowers during Advent or Lent due to the nature of the liturgical season.



Our next **Blood Drive** will be held on Monday, October 26, in Our Lady of Mt. Carmel's Parish Center from 2:00-8:00 pm.

Call Terri Allen at (301) 271-7872 to make an appointment. Walk-ins are also welcome.

Cash Bash

Saturday, November 14, 3 – 8 pm Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish Center 4 Drawings per Hour - 8:00 pm Grand Prize \$3,000

(based on the 3-Digit MD Lottery) You need not be present to win.

Also: Games of chance & Tip jars Music by the Backroads

Tickets:



\$25 per person (includes food & refreshments) Only one person admitted per ticket. No tickets will be sold at the door.

Tickets are on sale at the parishes' office (located at St. Anthony's) for \$25. Either stop in the office or give us a call at (301) 447-2367.

Congratulations to Rocky Birely who won \$100 in our Early Bird drawing of October 14. Thank you to all who have purchased tickets early.

We need people to help sell tickets. Please call the office (301) 447-2367 if you are able to take a packet of 5 to sell or if you would be willing to sell tickets after the weekend Masses. Thanks we need your help to make this benefit a success for our parishes.

Daylight Saving Time Ends

Remember to "fall back" on Saturday, October 31, and set your clocks back one hour.

Mark Your Calendars

- Oct 26 Blood Drive 2 pm OLMC
- Nov 2 All Souls Mass 7 pm SAS
- Nov 3 Bring Your Own Craft 1 pm SASH
- Nov 8 Baptismal Prep 1 pm OLMC Church
- Nov 14 Cash Bash 3 8 pm OLMC
- Nov 20 KofC Italian Night 5:30 pm OLMC
- Nov 24 Pastoral Council Mtg. 7 pm SAS
- Nov 25 Thanksgiving Mass 7 pm SAS

From Barbara...

Faith is a very powerful gift. When looking with eyes of faith we often see things differently and sometimes see things we've never seen before. Bartimaeus had faith that Jesus would heal his blindness. Do we let Jesus heal our blindness? Do we take time to look at things with eyes of faith? All we have to do is ask. "Master, I want to see." Take time this week to use your eyes of faith to look at the opportunities that come to you and how you can best respond in a faithful manner.

Next week is the feast of All Saints and All Souls. On Monday evening we will be having a special All Souls Mass to celebrate the lives of those we have lost specifically this year but for everyone who has entered into eternal life with God. I hope you will join us for this wonderful feast. See elsewhere in the bulletin for more details.

I'd like to draw your attention to the fact that we have envelopes for children to use to contribute to their church. Like everything else, good habits start early. It's important for all of us to contribute to our parishes and children like to give. If your child receives an allowance, teaching them to contribute part of it to the church and/or other charities helps instill a sense of contributing to the larger good. If they don't receive an allowance, giving them a little something to put in the collection can help them to see how they are part of the family finances. If you are interested, the envelopes are in the back of the churches and parish center.

May God continue to bless us all. * * * * *

All Souls' Day Mass

The Liturgy Team of Our lady of Mount Carmel and Saint Anthony Shrine Parishes invites you to a special celebration of the life and death of those who were buried from our parishes this past year.

A special Mass will be celebrated at St. Anthony's at 7 PM on All Souls Day, November 2nd, 2009, during which your deceased loved one will be individually mentioned and remembered. If you have a picture of your loved one you would like to share for this occasion please drop it by the Church office and we will be sure it is displayed. Families and individuals are also welcome to attend this Mass in remembrance of babies who have been lost through miscarriage, stillbirth, and other pregnancy losses. We hope you and your family can join us to celebrate this day as we all remember our deceased loved ones. Flease join us for refreshments and fellowship following the Mass.

OLMC Crabcake & Sausage Stand

A big thanks from our parish to **Randy and Karen Smith and their family** for once again taking charge of our Colorfest Stand. We especially want to thank all the volunteers who came and shared their time. It made the work much easier.

Our profit was: \$5,583.26.



Saint Anthony's Fall Yard & Bake Sale

I wish to thank everyone who volunteered in any way and those who donated baked goods and other donations for the Bake/Food Sales. For those helping me at the Yard Sale, your kindness is much appreciated. Without your help, I could never do it. A special thanks to Leo Krietz and Ed Althoff. *Helen Reaver*

Our p	orofit	from	the	efforts	of	many	is:

50/50	\$261.00
Yard Sale	\$1,230.00
Bake/Food Table	<u> \$755.65</u>
Total	\$2,246.65
50/50 Winners:	
Allyson Rohrbaugh	\$130.76
Lisa Krom	\$78.46
Rachel Stem	\$52.30
Door Prize Winners:	
Trista Kruse	Kimberly Shields

Cathy Yoder Susan Johnston

FINANCIAL REPORT

Weekend of October 17 & 18, 2009

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel							
Attendance		181					
Envelopes	(68)	1,768.00					
Loose		323.00					
Total		2,091.00					
Poor Box		35.00					
St. Anthony Shrine							
Attendance		346					
Envelopes	(56)	1,969.00					
Loose		660.49					
Total		2,629.49					
Poor Box		147.73					