



6th Sunday of Easter

May 16 & 17, 2009

This Week in our Parishes

Saturday, May 16th

2:30 pm, Sacrament of Reconciliation – OLMC
4:00 pm, Mass – SAS (+Roy E. Miller, Janet Miller
Pratt and John Ohler)

Sunday, May 17th

7:00 am, Mass - SAS (+Dale & Mae Dunkinson &
Patrick Stoner)
8:00 am, SAS Flea Market – SAS Pavilion
8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (L&D Parishioners)
9:30 am, Mass – SAS (+Elizabeth Dinunzio)
11:00 am, Mass - OLMC (+Carroll Little)
1:00 pm, Baptismal Prep. Class – SAS Church
1:00 pm, Secular Franciscan Order – OLMC
6:30 pm, Y.M. Music Practice – OLMC

Monday, May 18th

8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Mildred Smith)
10:00 am, Mom's Group Meeting - SASH
3:00 pm, Ballet Class – SAS Upper Hall
3:00 pm, Eucharistic Adoration – OLMC
6:30 pm, Girl Scouts Meeting – SAS Schoolhouse
7:00 pm, Corporators Meeting - OLMC

Tuesday, May 19th

8:00 am, Mass– OLMC (+Elizabeth Wohlfarth)
9:15 am, Staff Meeting - SAS
6:30 pm, YOGA – SAS Upper Hall
6:30 pm, Knights of Columbus Theatre Night

Wednesday, May 20th

No Morning Mass
6:30 pm, Handbell Practice - SAS

Thursday, May 21st

8:00 am, Mass– OLMC (+John Naurot)
6:30 pm, Choir Practice – SAS
6:30 pm, YOGA – SAS Upper Hall

Friday, May 22nd

7:30 pm, Morning Prayers - OLMC
8:00 am, Mass– OLMC (+Frances Seltzer)

Saturday, May 23rd

4:00 pm, Mass – SAS (+Marjorie & Joseph Little)

Sunday, May 24th Ascension

7:00 am, Mass - SAS (L&D Parishioners)
8:00 am, Mass–OLMC(+Margaret & Clarence Fink)
9:30 am, Mass – SAS (+Joe Little)
11:00 am, Mass - OLMC (+Joseph S. Mayer)

Ascension

May 23 & 24

Scripture Readings for Mass

First Reading ~ Acts 1:1-11/58
Responsorial ~ Ps. 47:2-3,6-7,8-9
Second Reading ~ Ephesians 1:17-23
Gospel ~ Mark 16:15-20

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 homebound:

Agatha Sicilia *Alice Springer*

Also, please remember the following parishioners in prayer:

<i>Francis Bittle</i>	<i>Dorothy Burkard</i>
<i>Dick Cool</i>	<i>Jack Dillon</i>
<i>Clarence Favorite</i>	<i>Joan Fink</i>
<i>John Firor</i>	<i>Ethel Fitzgerald</i>
<i>Doris Glass</i>	<i>Laura Hobbs</i>
<i>Peggy Kauffman</i>	<i>Jeanette Massena</i>
<i>Rosemary McDermott</i>	<i>Dolores Munafa</i>
<i>Tony Newman</i>	<i>Rita Priest</i>
<i>Charles Putman</i>	<i>Mary Reckley</i>
<i>Elfriede Ridenour</i>	<i>Margaret Smith</i>
<i>Robert Smith</i>	<i>Maddie Toth</i>
<i>James Wivell, Sr.</i>	



For Prayer Requests

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

Father's Day Spiritual Bouquet cards are available in the back of the churches. On Father's Day, June 21st, the Masses will be celebrated for the intentions received.



We pray for God's blessings on these children who are celebrating their First Eucharist this weekend

Katherine Adams Myli Corbin

Vacation Bible School

Plans are being made for this summer's Vacation Bible School "**Crocodile Dock**" Where fearless kids shine God's light! Many adult volunteers are needed to make VBS a success. This is a wonderful opportunity to have fun learning about God with your kids. High school and middle school age volunteers can help make VBS an even better and exciting time. This year, VBS will be held **June 22-26**. Please consider being a volunteer. Contact Sara Miller at miller.sara@gmail.com or call at (301) 271-9871.

High School

Youth Ministry Events

- **June 6 Youth Mass & HSYM Meeting 4:00 pm SAS.** Celebrate Mass with your friends and join us in the Schoolhouse after Mass for Food, fun & Friends until 6:30 pm. Check out our painting masterpiece and add your own special touch!
- **June 22-26 – Help wanted on the "Dock"** Help out with Vacation Bible School. This year "Crocodile Dock" is where fearless kids shine God's light. Please contact Sara Miller at miller.sara2gmail.com or call 301-271-9871 to volunteer.

Contact Lori Carter at 301-271-4050 or kpltcarter@comcast.net for more info.

Youth Ministry Music Practices

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

Upcoming practice is scheduled for: May 17
A Pizza social will follow the practices.

S A M C Youth Ministry News

All 6th, 7th and 8th grade parishioners are invited to the next **SMAC** meeting on **Friday, June 5th** 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.

Peace & Social Justice Committee an education and action ministry

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

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



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, May 17, at 1:00 pm at Saint Anthony Shrine** in the *church*. The class is expected to last about one hour. If you have any questions, please call Barbara at the parish office (301) 447-2367.

Delone Catholic High School Placement Test

For any eighth grade student that is interested in attending Delone Catholic High School for the 2009-2010 school year that did not take the Placement Test, the Test will be administered on **Friday, June 5, 2009** at 9:00 am at the school, 140 S. Oxford Avenue, McSherrystown, PA. This will be the last time this test will be administered for the 2009-2010 school year. For additional information regarding the tests, please contact Sister Maria, CSJ at Delone Catholic High School at (717) 637-5969. All eighth grade applicants to DCHS must take this test.

Mark Your Calendars

- **May 17 – Baptismal Prep** – 1 pm SAS Church
- **May 18 – Corporators Mtg.** – 7 pm OLMC
- **May 26 – Lector/EM Training** – 7 pm OLMC
- **May 28 – 30 – SAS Yard/Bake Sale** - Pavilion
- **May 30/31 – Welcome Weekend**
- **June 2 – Bring Your Own Craft** – 1 pm SASH
- **June 8 – Budget Meeting** – 7 pm SAS
- **June 16 – Pastoral Council Mtg.** – 7 pm OLMC
- **Nov 14 – Cash Bash** – 3 – 8 pm OLMC

Archbishop O'Brien to Celebrate Blue Mass at the Baltimore Basilica

Mass will Honor Police and Fire Personnel on Sunday, May 24, 2009 at 10:45am, Archbishop Edwin F. O'Brien, Archbishop of Baltimore, will celebrate a Blue Mass to honor the brave men and women of the Police and Fire Departments. Most Reverend Denis J. Madden, Auxiliary Bishop of Baltimore; and Reverend Jeffrey S. Dausen, Rector of the Baltimore Basilica, will concelebrate the Mass. Cardinal William H. Keeler, Archbishop Emeritus of Baltimore, will be in attendance. The Basilica is located at the corner of Cathedral & Mulberry Streets in downtown Baltimore. For more info, please visit www.baltimorebasilica.org or call 410-727-3565.



All Are Welcome!

Do you know someone who is a former member of Our Lady of Mount Carmel or St. Anthony Shrine parishes? Is there someone in your neighborhood who is looking for a parish to become part of? Has someone you know been away from Church for awhile?



Consider inviting them to Mass on Pentecost Weekend, May 30/31. We will be having refreshments and fellowship after all the Masses. We also hope to have some old pictures from years past and the opportunity to catch up with old friends. So mark your calendars, think of whom you want to invite and join us for the festivities.

Also, if you have any old pictures, artifacts, or mementos from either parish, please lend them to us for the weekend. We promise to take good care of them. Before you give them to us, make sure you mark them clearly with your name and phone number so we can be certain to return them to you.



Yard Sale / Bake Sale



Saint Anthony Shrine will be having a **Yard and Bake Sale** on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, **May 28th, 29th and 30th**. For those wanting to sell items, space will be available for \$15/one day, \$25/two days or \$30/all three days; no reservations needed. All of you **BAKERS**, we will need your donations to make this day a success – watch for other needed items as time gets a little closer. Your help in the past has been most appreciated. *Thank you in advance.* For additional information, call Helen Reaver (301) 447-6431 or the parish office (301) 447-2367.



Lector & Eucharistic Minister Training



If you are interested in being a lector and/or a Eucharistic Minister or are already serve in one or both of these ministries and would like a refresher, please plan on attending the training being held on Tuesday, May 26, 7:00 pm at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish Center. The training is for folks of both parishes. If you have any questions, contact Barbara at the parish office.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Weekend of May 9 & 10, 2009

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

Attendance		245
Envelopes	(95)	1,955.00
Loose		376.25
Total		2,331.25
Poor Box		55.05
Seminarians		760.00

St. Anthony Shrine

Attendance		486
Envelopes	(73)	2,541.00
Loose		779.90
Total		3,320.90
Poor Box		131.43
Seminarians		1,106.38

From Barbara . . .

“God knows we are sinners. But, God loves us so much that he doesn’t want us to stay that way.” This is a quote from Archbishop O’Brien in a TV commercial about the Sacrament of Penance. Today’s readings all talk about God’s love for us. God shows no partiality. As God’s beloved we have a responsibility to keep his commands. The Church says the greatest commandment is to love one another. Take time this week to be aware of how you keep this commandment.

As you know we are trying to save money in anyway that we can. One of those efforts will be to keep the lights off in the front area of the office. So if you come to the office and the lights are off – come on in. We’re there but we are just trying to keep our utility bills down and save energy at the same time. Also, during the summer months we may have the air conditioning set a little higher than normal. If it becomes too uncomfortable please let me know and we will try to adjust it.

Our Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) is up and running. We had the first transfer on April 15 and will make future transfers on the 15th of each month. This is a safe, wonderful and convenient way for you to contribute to our parishes. If you are interested in using EFT, there are forms in the pamphlet racks at the entrance of the church and they are available from the parish office. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

May God bless us all. Alleluia!

Pregnant, Need Help?

Call the **Gabriel Network** at 1-800-Angel-OK

Crab Cake Dinner

Tom’s Creek United Methodist Church

Tom's Creek Church Road off
140 between Emmitsburg and Taneytown.

Friday, May 22, 4:00 to 8:00 pm.

Menu: 2 Crab Cakes, Baked Potato, Green Beans, Cole Slaw, Roll, Butter, Dessert, Coffee or Tea.

Advance Tickets \$14.00 or **At the door** \$16.00

Children 10 and under \$7.00 (1/2 DINNER).

Carry Outs \$15.00.

To buy in advance, call

Dottie Davis at (301) 447-2403 or
Jimmy & Anita Hill at (301) 447-2633.

Silent Auction Items

SAS/OLMC

(Deadline for bids – May 24, 2009)

_____ Name the drive between school house
and St. Anthony’s old parking lot.
Currently MC Shields Family Drive.

_____ Name the drive in front of Our Lady of
Mt. Carmel Church. *Currently
Dowling’s Prayer Circle.*

_____ Reserve Parking space at SAS

_____ Reserve Parking space at OLMC

*Minimum bid for each item is \$50.00.
Please place an X next to appropriate bid item.*

Name _____

Phone Number _____

Amount of Bid _____ \$ _____