

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 17 & 18, 2009

This Week in our Parishes

Saturday, October 17th

2:30 pm, Sacrament of Reconciliation - OLMC
4:00 pm, Mass – SAS (+Mark, John & Johnny Carson)

Sunday, October 18th Ordinary 29

7:00 am, Mass–SAS (L&D Mbrs of John & Viola Topper)
8:00 am, SAS Flea Market – SAS Pavilion
8:00 am, Mass–OLMC (+Edward Donnelly)
9:15 am, Religious Education Classes – TMS
9:15 am, Confirmation Class - TMS
9:30 am, Mass – SAS (L&D Parishioners)
11:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Carroll Little)
1:00 pm, Secular Franciscan Order – OLMC
6:30 pm, Youth Ministry Music Practice – OLMC

Monday, October 19th

8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Roger C. Finneyfrock)
9:00 am, Mom' Group – SAS Schoolhouse
3:00 pm, Eucharistic Adoration – OLMC
6:30 pm, Girl Scouts – SAS Schoolhouse
7:00 pm, Finance Committee Mtg. – SAS

Tuesday, October 20th

8:00 am, Mass–OLMC (Int. Sr Rita Buddeke SND)
6:30 pm, KofC Social Night - OLMC

Wednesday, October 21st

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

Thursday, October 22nd

8:00 am, Mass–OLMC (Int. Sr Marie Margaret Murphy SND)
6:30 pm, Adult Choir Practice – SAS Church
6:30 pm, Handbell Practice – OLMC Parish Center
6:30 pm, YOGA – SAS Upper Hall

Friday, October 23rd

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

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

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Scripture Readings for Mass

First Reading ~ Jeremiah 31:7-9/149

Responsorial ~ Ps. 126:1-2,2-3,4-5,6

Second Reading ~ Hebrews 5:1-6

Gospel ~ Mark 10:46-52

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:

Francis Bittle

Dorothy Burkard

JoAnn Cannada

Dick Cool

Grace Crotts

Jack Dillon

Joan Fink

Ethel Fitzgerald

Doris Glass

Daniel Hartke

Ray Horst

Bob Kaas

Peggy Kauffman

Michelle Keegin

Jeanette Massena

Bob Maze

Rosemary McDermott

Karen Mills

Dolores Munafo

Tony Newman

Rita Priest

Charles Putman

Mary Reckley

Elfriede Ridenour

Francis Smith

Margaret Smith

Robert Smith

Carroll Wivell

Lorraine Wivell



For Prayer Requests

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



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.

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

S M A C Youth Ministry News

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

Hike to Lookout Point - Sunday October 18

2:00 pm Grotto, Mount St. Mary's

Halloween Party – Friday October 30

7:00 – 9:30 pm SAS Upper Hall

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 18 & 25

A Pizza social will follow the practices.

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 JHawkins@archbalt.org.

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

Mother Seton School

Hold the Date: Fall Fun Run for all ages sponsored by Mother Seton School - **Saturday, November 14** (*Raindate November 21*) at Mount Saint Mary's Campus. Come out and join us for a Fall Family Fun 5K Run/Walk and experience the beautiful scenery of the Catoctin Mountains. Proceeds to benefit the Education Program at Mother Seton School. More info forthcoming: www.mothersetonschool.org.

Did You Graduate from Mother Seton School?

On **Wednesday, January 6**, the graduating *Class of 1960* from Mother Seton School will be recognized at a Mass at the Basilica of Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton and then celebrate at a luncheon given in their honor. If you – *or someone you know* - were in this class, the school would like to hear from you. Contact the Development Office at (301) 447-3165 or visit www.mothersetonschool.org.

Welcome to our Newest Members

Kaylee Nicole Bonanno, daughter of
Michael & Kerri Bonanno,
Baptized October 17, 2009



and
Charles Anthony Scarzello, son of
Anthony & Kathy Scarzello,
Baptized October 18, 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 questions, please call Barbara at the parish office (301) 447-2367.

Marriage, Divorce and Annulments from a Catholic Perspective

The Tribunal of the Archdiocese of Baltimore will be giving a presentation in our area concerning divorce and annulment from the Catholic perspective. This presentation will be helpful for divorced Catholics, those divorced who wish to marry Catholics, those parish leaders involved in the RCIA process and any others who may have a vested interest because of family or friends. This session will be held on **November 12, 7:00 pm** at **Holy Family Catholic Community, Middletown, MD**. No prior registration is required. For further information, please call (410) 537-5533.

Mark Your Calendars

- Oct 19 – Finance Meeting – 7 pm SAS
- 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

Cash Bash

Saturday, November 14, 3 – 8 pm
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish Center

4 Drawing per Hour

1 st drawing	\$400
2 nd drawing	\$300
3 rd drawing	\$200
4 th drawing	\$100

8:00 pm Grand Prize \$3,000
(based on the 3-Digit MD Lottery)
You need not be present to win



Also available:

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.

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.

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.

Did you know:

The last yard sale for this year is this **Sunday, October 18**, at St. Anthony. Come join us even if you don't want to buy or sell anything. There's a concession stand with egg sandwiches, hamburgers, pulled pork, etc. The food is "heavenly!"



The Home Comfort Band will be playing bluegrass music from 1:30 – 3:30 pm.

From Barbara . . .

Are we willing to enter fully into the life of Jesus? Our baptism calls us to fully become one with Jesus. When we baptize infants we don't usually think of the responsibility that entails. But as adults, we don't only get to share in the glory of God, but we must also share in the suffering of Jesus. Being a faithful Catholic Christian is not easy. Daily we are confronted with tough choices and we must make the correct decisions. God knows that and promises to be with us through it all. God will even forgive us when we don't live up to our best. Ultimately, what must motivate our behavior is Jesus himself, the way he lived, and our being baptized into his very life. Take time this week to look at your motivations.

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.

May God continue to bless us all.

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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 P.M. 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. Please join us for refreshments and fellowship following the Mass.

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.

Villa Maria of Frederick County

Please consider designating **Villa Maria of Frederick County**, our local **Catholic Charities program**, if you contribute to the United Way, Combined Federal Campaign or Maryland Charity Campaign. With declining revenues and allocations, it is especially important this year to designate your contribution. Your generosity provides counseling and psychiatric services for low income families without insurance. For questions, please phone Ray Rother, Ph.D., LCSW-C, Program Supervisor at (301) 694-6654 X1306.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Weekend of October 10 & 11, 2009

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

Attendance		91
Envelopes	(60)	1,438.00
Loose		498.00
Total		1,936.00
Poor Box		4.00
Propagation of Faith		383.00

St. Anthony Shrine

Attendance		403
Envelopes	(48)	1,545.10
Loose		789.12
Total		2,334.22
Poor Box		127.85
Propagation of Faith		342.27