

# OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL PARISH

WEBSITE: [www.olmcmiddletown.org](http://www.olmcmiddletown.org)

90 EUCLID AVENUE, MIDDLETOWN, NEW YORK 10940

Sunday, May 13th  
Seventh Sunday of Easter

*Happy Mother's Day*



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## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE:

Mrs. Nancy Miller..... **Director of Religious Education**  
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### Please note new hours

Hours:..... Mon. 8:30am - 3:00pm  
..... Tues. 12:00pm - 3:00pm (3:30pm-8pm in classes)  
..... Wed. 8:30am - 3:00pm (3:30pm-5:45pm in classes)  
..... Thurs. 8:30am - 3:00pm  
..... Fri. 8:30am - 12:00pm

## RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Call **Fr. Paul Denault** for initial interview at the Priory  
Office: ..... 845-343-4121

## ADULT FAITH

Mr. Ken Searle ..... **Adult Faith Coordinator**  
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## MT. CARMEL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL:

Ms. Jennifer Langford..... **Principal**  
Phone: ..... 845-343-8836

## MASSSES:

Weekend Masses: Saturday - **5:00 pm**  
Sunday- **8:00 am, 10:00 am, 11:30 am**  
and **4:30 pm**  
Weekday Mass: Monday - Friday **7:00am** (Priory Chapel)  
Holy Days: **As Announced**

## CONFESSION:

Saturday 4:00-4:30 pm or by appointment.

## BAPTISM:

Call Religious Education Office for information.

## THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick and the Eucharist are meant for the healing and comfort of those who are ill. Please notify us about any parishioner confined to their home, hospital or nursing facility so that a priest may visit.

## MARRIAGE:

Please call the Priory Office for an appointment.

**BEREAVEMENT GROUP:** The group meets on Wednesdays from 1:00pm to 2:30pm in OLMC's Parish Center, 90 Euclid Ave, in Middletown. Facilitated by Frank Gawors, MS, LCSW. For more information contact: Frank Gawors at 845-342-4703 or [fhgawors@gmail.com](mailto:fhgawors@gmail.com)

## NEW PARISHIONERS:

Welcome to Mt. Carmel! Please pick up a Registration Form in the Gathering Space or at the Priory Office or visit: [www.olmcmiddletown.org](http://www.olmcmiddletown.org)

Registration and **evidence of participation** is required at least *eight (8) months* before scheduling of Marriage or Baptism.

## OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL PARISH:

Fr. Paul A.M. Denault, O.Carm..... **Pastor**  
Fr. Anthony Trung Nguyen, O.Carm..... **Parochial Vicar**  
Fr. Joseph Phuong Ngo, O.Carm..... **In Residence**  
Fr. Justin Cinnante, O.Carm..... **In Residence**  
Deacon Edward Woods

Mrs. Maureen Waterman ..... **Parish Secretary**  
Phone ..... 845-343-4121

### **OFFICE HOURS:**

**Monday - Friday** 8:30 am -1:00 pm and 2:00pm - 4:30pm  
(closed 1:00-2:00pm for lunch)

Gail Johnson..... **Organist** - 845-386-5817  
Dottie Lanos ..... **Parish Trustee**  
Greg Sillen ..... **Parish Trustee**

## PARISH CENTER RENTAL

The Parish Center is available for **rental** to both Parishioners and Non-Parishioners for weddings, parties (birthdays, Baptisms, anniversary, etc.) or meetings.  
For more information please call **Greg Sillen** at:  
**845-282-4267.**

**May 13, 2018**  
**Seventh Sunday of Easter**



**Saturday, May 12th**

5:00 Filomena & Antonia Pistoia

**Sunday, May 13th - Mother's Day**

8:00 People of the Parish

10:00 People of the Parish

11:30 People of the Parish

4:30 People of the Parish

**Monday, May 14th**

7:00 Ray Phillips

**Tuesday, May 15th**

7:00 Catherine Schiro & the Fotino Family

**Wednesday, May 16th**

7:00 Anna Mae Inverarity

**Thursday, May 17th**

7:00 Anna & Karl Kukulka

**Friday, May 18th**

7:00 Raymond Ptak

**Saturday, May 19th**

5:00 Giuseppe & Margherita Rotundo

**Sunday, May 20th**

8:00 Giuseppe & Maria Olivo

10:00 Evelyn, John & Bill Kummer

11:30 Veronica Madlin

4:30 Kevin McNally

**MASS CELEBRANTS**

May 19th & May 20th

**Our Lady of Mount Carmel**

5/19 ~ 5:00 pm ~ Fr. Paul

5/20 ~ 8:00 am ~ Fr. Mike K.

10:00am ~ Fr. Tim E.

11:30am ~ Fr. Gus

4:30pm ~ Fr. Paul

**Our Lady of the Assumption**

5/19 ~ 5:30pm ~ Fr. Anthony

5/20 ~ 9:30am ~ Fr. Anthony

Please note celebrants are subject to change.

**TITHING GOD'S PLAN FOR GIVING**

May 5th & May 6th totaled: \$7,721

Collection \$7,081 and Online Giving \$640

Building Fund totaled: \$1,989

Collection: \$1,869 and Online Giving \$120

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!**

Mass attendance for the weekend of

May 5th & May 6th was: 770.

Our **Second Collection** each week is for the ongoing maintenance of our Grounds and Buildings.

**ABOUT THE LITURGY:**

**One Last Week of Easter:**

We've had seven Sundays of Easter so far. How are you doing with keeping the energy and joy of Easter Sunday all season long? With the end of the season in sight, and everyone beginning to focus on graduations, vacations, and summer activities, it can be difficult to keep your focus on the Easter mysteries. But you still have one more week to reinvigorate your Easter spirit! Here are a few simple ways to do that:

*Take an Easter walk:* Take a walk around your neighborhood, in your yard or garden, at the park, or even at the local shopping center. Look for signs of new life all around you. Remember the neophytes - those who were baptized this Easter - who are "new plants" in the household of God.

*Remember your baptism:* Search for photos and other mementos of your own baptism, for example, your baptismal gown or certificate. Place them in a prominent spot in your home this week.

*Make bathing a time of renewal:* Whenever you shower or bathe, recall how the neophytes were bathed in the font. Make it a special time of prayer by giving thanks to Christ, the Water of Life.

*Write a thank you note:* "Eucharist" means "thanksgiving" in Greek. Each day this last week of Easter, write a thank you note or email to someone you appreciate but don't often thank in a special way. Say a prayer for him or her as you seal the envelope or hit "send."

**MOVING ON:**

For the past year, we have had the pleasure of the presence of **Father Justin Cinnante, O.Carm.**, in our midst. He has been serving as the Campus Minister at John S. Burke Catholic High School while living at Mount Carmel Priory and occasionally offering Sunday Mass here.

Beginning in August, **Father Justin** will serve instead as the Campus Minister at **Iona Preparatory School** in New Rochelle, NY. This means that he will be moving during the summer to live at Transfiguration Priory in Tarrytown, NY.

As we wish **Father Justin** well in this new ministry, a special Farewell Mass will be held on June 24. More details will be coming forth as the day approaches.

For the gift of his presence: **Thank you!**

For his life to come: **Go with God!**

# OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL

## CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR FIRST COMMUNICANTS!

39 students from OLMC Religious Education and Mt. Carmel School received the Holy Eucharist for the first time on **Saturday, May 5th**.

May the Lord watch over and guide these precious children and their families as they continue in their faith journey.

## REGISTRATION FOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION 2018/2019 SESSION

Re-Registrations for 2018/2019 Religious Education are currently being accepted for families already enrolled in the program. **Regular Rates** are now in effect.

Forms for **new** students are available in the Gathering Space.

New Registering families can also contact Mrs. Miller at [olmcre90@gmail.com](mailto:olmcre90@gmail.com) or 845-342-1510.



## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL IS COMING

**JULY 16TH - JULY 20TH**

Five Mornings of Fun

T-shirt-music CD-daily craft and snack

Bible Story Center-Music and Movement-Games-

Imagination Station

For only \$30 per child

**Wow! That's only \$6 per day!!**

For children currently in Pre-K thru 4th grade.

See the Gathering Area to register.

Space is limited so don't miss out!

TAKE ME OUT TO THE  
**BALLGAME!**

## CATHOLIC EDUCATION NIGHT AT DUTCHESS STADIUM

**Tuesday, June 26th**

Join in the fun with some baseball at the Dutchess Stadium with the Hudson Valley Renegades!! Help Raise money for the OLMC Religious Education Program while enjoying a baseball game with the Renegades! See all the details in the flyer available in the Gathering Area. When purchasing tickets, be sure to use the password: **ourlady**.

## PARISH SAFETY TEAM OUTREACH

In an effort to promote the safety of our parish that comes together every Sunday, we are asking for volunteers who can provide assistance under the guidance of the **Parish Safety Team** in the case of a medical or catastrophic emergency. Interested people will receive the necessary training. If you are willing to help the parish this way at the Mass you attend, please contact Father Paul or Father Anthony or leave your name and contact information at the Parish Office.

## 50th Anniversary Jubilee Mass

Couples residing in the Archdiocese of New York who are celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary in the calendar year of 2018 are invited to attend the **Annual Golden Wedding Jubilee Mass** with Cardinal Dolan at the Cathedral of St. Patrick on **Sunday, June 3rd at 2:15pm**. **Pre-registration** is required. The closing date to register for the Mass is this **Monday, May 14th**. *This year a new procedure is in place so all attendees MUST have a ticket.*

Please contact the Priory Office to register.

This event is sponsored by the Family Life † Respect Life Office of the Archdiocese of New York.

## THE WARMING STATION NEEDS OUR HELP

The Warming Station has finished for this season and have begun the planning stages for next winter. There is a great need for a stainless steel sink to wash out crock pots and serving utensils used to serve dinner. Our goal at Mt. Carmel is to help purchase the sink. Our aim is to raise **\$475**. Can you help? A collection box is in the Gathering Space (just look for a picture of the sink on the box). We will be collecting money until the end of May.

Every donation is greatly appreciated. We'll post our results as we go.

For more information, please contact Nancy Miller at 845-342-1510 or [olmcre90@gmail.com](mailto:olmcre90@gmail.com)

## NO KID HUNGRY WEEKEND BACKPACK PROGRAM

Our Campaign for the Backpack Program is now over. Thank you so much for your **outstanding support!** We will begin collecting goods again in **September**.

If you have any questions please contact Nancy Miller at 845-342-1510 or [olmcre90@gmail.com](mailto:olmcre90@gmail.com).

### COMMUNITY OUTREACH GARDEN

Come join your fellow parishioners in planting, watering, weeding and harvesting "Father Bob's Garden" behind the priory. The vegetables that are harvested are delivered to St. Margaret's Soup Kitchen in Middletown. Since a garden can be a spiritual place of peace, joy and prayer we are also looking for volunteers to intercede for the success of the garden. Knowing that people are praying for us will encourage and motivate us.

Please call if interested: Frances McGarvey 914-443-1834 or [frankiebiscuits1@gmail.com](mailto:frankiebiscuits1@gmail.com)  
Ray Walter 845-342-1834 or [rwalter2011@hotmail.com](mailto:rwalter2011@hotmail.com), Kathy Taylor 845-343-4835 or [kathy.taylor@gmail.com](mailto:kathy.taylor@gmail.com)



### THE WARWICK VALLEY CHORALE SPRING CONCERTS 2018

Join the Warwick Valley Chorale for their Spring concert featuring the sublime Fauré Requiem and inspiring songs by John Rutter.

**Friday, May 18, 7:00 pm**  
**Goshen United Methodist Church**  
**115 Main Street, Goshen NY**

**Sunday May 20, 4:00 pm**  
**Warwick Reformed Church**  
**16 Maple Avenue, Warwick NY**

Admission is free (donations gratefully accepted) [www.WarwickValleyChorale.org](http://www.WarwickValleyChorale.org) and follow us on Facebook

501(c)3 nonprofit - (845) 477-8391

### FRIENDLY VISITOR PROGRAM

Isolation and loss of social interaction due to poor health, lack of transportation or other issues are contributing factors to depression and self-neglect. If you know of someone who would like a visit for conversation, or is in need of assistance with rides to church, medical appts., or telephone reassurances please have them call Anne Reilly at 342-2030 or Margaret O'Donnell at 342-0616.

### SPIRITUAL DIRECTION

Are you seeking the presence of God on a deeper level?  
Have you been considering Spiritual Direction for your life?  
Spiritual Direction sessions are offered on the third Wednesday and last Thursday of each month at **The National Shrine of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, 70 Carmelite Drive, Middletown** by JoAnn Atlas & Fran Fay, Certified Spiritual Directors.  
For further information, call Carol Bezak, Shrine Director - 845-343-1879.

My Choice Pregnancy Care Center has opened a new office at 18 Grove St., in Middletown. There is also an office located at 388 Blooming Grove Turnpike (Rt. 94) in New Windsor.

My Choice exists to erase the perceived need for abortion by effectively serving pregnant at-risk woman and transforming the fear of the unknown into confidence in the future. They offer pregnancy test, ultrasound exams and practical help at no cost to women of all ages.

Please call 845-561-3057 or email [helplinerone@mychoicepcc.com](mailto:helplinerone@mychoicepcc.com) for more information or to find out how you can be a part of this extraordinary ministry.



## OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

**REGISTRATION FOR 2018-2019** - If you are interested in an outstanding Catholic Education for your child Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Elementary is the place for you! Call today to find out more information at the number below. Families registering new students or siblings of current students can register by going to [www.applycatholicsschoolNY.org](http://www.applycatholicsschoolNY.org)

**CLOTHING HUT** - If you have been cleaning out your closets and have some gently used clothes you'd like to donate don't forget the Clothing Hut located in the parking lot. The clothes should be clean and in a tightly sealed bag. The proceeds from the donations received are to benefit the school.

**INFORMATION** - For more information about any of the above, please call 845-343-8836 or visit: [www.mtcarmelschoolmiddletown.org](http://www.mtcarmelschoolmiddletown.org)