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**PARISH PAY IS NOW WE SHARE:**

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Thank you for using online giving for your support of our parish. Online giving is safe, simple, and convenient. It benefits our parish by helping to streamline our administrative process and providing more accurate budgeting. Our current online giving provider, ParishPay, has been acquired by Liturgical Publications. All ParishPay accounts will be transitioned to WeShare, LPi's online giving platform, early in the fall. You do not need to do anything for this transition process. Your information will be transferred electronically following the strictest security protocol. Once the transition is complete, you will receive more information about how to log in and manage your account on WeShare.

**Thank you for advertising in Our Lady of Mt. Carmel church Bulletin.**

**OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL SCHOOL**

We have an ongoing registration for the 2017-2018 school year. Applications can be dropped off in the school office between 9am and 2:30pm on weekdays, or email [admission@olmcelmsford.com](mailto:admission@olmcelmsford.com)

**PARISH WEB SITE**

<http://olmcchurchelmsford.com>

**SCHOOL WEBSITE**

<http://www.olmcelmsford.com>

**OUR MILITARY PRAYER LIST**

Please pray for peace and the safe return of all our Men & Women serving our country, especially for: **Craig Brown, Jr., Frankie Confalone Jr, Adam Jones, Michael Rodick, Clifton Benson.** Names will be edited every two month but if there is someone who you wish us to continue on the list, please call the rectory or to add a name call the Rectory.

**DAILY MASS OFFERING IS \$15.00**

We naturally look to that Sacrifice of Christ, containing the perfect prayer, to offer for our deceased relatives and friends. Call the rectory, visit the office, or send a letter to the office or put your request in an envelope and place it in the collection – marked: Mass Intention.

**Masses Available in February 2018**

**7:00 am** (6,9,12,13,14,15,16,19,20,21,22,23,26,27)

**9:00 am** (8,10,12,14,15,19,20,21,24,26,27,28)

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 27, 2018**

**9:00 AM Marjorie Barrett**

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 28, 2018**

**5:00 PM James King**

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 28, 2018**

**8:00 AM Clare Dalmas**

**9:30 AM Frederick Schmitt**

**11:00 AM Krystal Claus Tompkins**

**12:30 PM Iris Rivas**

**MONDAY, JANUARY 29, 2018**

**7:00 AM Sabina & Arun Mathew (Living)**

**9:00 AM Mary Elizabeth Growth (Living, Healing)**

**TUESDAY, JANUARY 30, 2018**

**7:00 AM John Mc Donald**

**9:00 AM Mary Elizabeth Growth (Living, Healing)**

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31, 2018**

**7:00 AM John Mc Donald**

**9:00 AM Mary Elizabeth Growth (Living, Healing)**

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 2018**

**7:00 AM Wilmar Sanchez and All Souls**

**9:00 AM Mary Elizabeth Growth (Living, Healing)**

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 2018**

**7:00 AM Mary Elizabeth Growth (Living, Healing)**

**9:00 AM Julia Molyneaux**

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 2018**

**9:00 AM Eleanor Regina Coffey**

**5<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2018**

**5:00 PM William Cain 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary**

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2018**

**8:00 AM Ascenzia Rotonelli**

**9:30 AM Dr. Mar Mabutas**

**11:00 AM Mary Elizabeth Growth (Living, Healing)**

**12:30 PM Grupo Siervos de Jesús y María**

**OLMC FINANCIAL REPORT**

**The Fiscal year goes from Sept. 1, to Aug. 31.**

**Our budget is \$420,000. Or weekly it is \$7,600.**

<b>Previous Total</b>	<b>\$ 160,270.58</b>
<b>Collection 01/21/18</b>	<b>\$ 5652.00</b>
<b>Total Collection</b>	<b>\$ 165,922.58</b>
<b>Surplus</b>	<b>\$ 14,522.58</b>
<b>Budgeted</b>	<b>\$ 151,400</b>

**Consider placing Our Lady of Mt Carmel in your will or bequest so that you can continue to give to OLMC when you are with God.**

**While the Parish has a Surplus, we are committed to assist Our Lady of Mount Carmel School and its projected deficit for this year.**

**Fr. Augustine is available at any time for confessions, just call the Parish Office. 914 592 6789**

## BLESSED MOTHER GROTTO

Applications for engraving bricks at the Grotto may be picked up at the Rectory. The cost is \$100.00 per brick.

### American Italian Club Pasta Dinner

**Date:** February 6<sup>th</sup> **Hour:** 5:00pm to 8:00pm

**Menu:** maragotis pasta, meat balls & sausages, salad, bread, coffee and dessert. **Cost:** \$12.00 Adult & \$7.00 For children. To pick up your dinner Please **Call Frank** to (914) 592-664

## MASS ON TELEVISION

Cablevision channel 68 has Daily Mass at 8:00 am, 12 noon, 7:00 pm and midnight, or on Verizon channel 285.

## PRO LIFE CORNER

*Pope Francis implored the US Congress: "The golden Rule also reminds us of our responsibility to protect and defend human life at every stage of its development..."*

## THE ROSARY SOCIETY PRAYER CIRCLE

*will be happy to include you in our daily Rosary prayers. Call Marie 914-592-5327 or [OLMCRS@gmail.com](mailto:OLMCRS@gmail.com)*



## BINGO AT OLMC

*Thursdays in the Cafeteria*, doors open at 6:00 and the games begins about 7:15 pm The proceeds support OLMC School. Volunteers are always welcome,

if you are interested, contact the school office (914) 592-7575.

*There is Latin Bingo on the second Friday of each month, it is called in both Spanish and English, all are welcome, it begins at 7:15 pm and there is Latin music and food. Bingo en Español se lleva a cabo el Segundo Viernes del mes a las 7:15 pm en la Cafetería.*

## PRAY FOR THE SICK AND RECOVERING



**Monsignor Frederick Becker, Mary Wyan, John Constantino, Peter Kersten, Tanya Kersten, Fr. Tom D'Angelo, Syed Alirah, T. McGillicuddy, Sr. Maria Teresa Bourbon RDC, Fr. James P. Connoly, Garrett Cronin, Edward Fucci Sr., Bernard Goddard, Carmine Greco, Frank Imondo, Sr. Margaret Keogan, RDC, John McDonald, Robert Sorrentino, Sarah Tureck, and for all who have asked for prayers on our Facebook page, and those who care for them.**

**Please note the list has been edited and will be edited every two month, to continue prayers or to add a name to the list please call the Rectory office.**

## SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

### Wednesday, February 7

6:30pm to 8:00pm Rel. Edu.

6:45pm RCIA Fr. Augustine

8:00pm to 9:30pm Holy Name Society Meeting

### Thursday, February 8

6:00pm to 10:00pm Bingo

### Friday, February 9

10:00am to 12:00pm Holy Hour

6:30pm to 8:00pm RCIA Fr. Augustine

6:30pm to 10:00pm Bingo en Español

7:30pm to 9:00pm Lazos de Amor Mariano

### Saturday, February 10

8:00am to 9:00am Holy Hour

9:30am to 11:00am Rel. Edu classes

5:00pm Sunday Vigil Mass

6:30pm Volunteer Dinner

## FOOD PANTRY - HELP WANTED:

**Vol. Administrative Asst. with Computer Skills** (1) Contact clients once a month (2) Send thank you notes to donors; (3) Contact volunteers once a month. Please stop by the Food Pantry on Saturday between 10 am and 12 and ask for **Marie Macfarlane**.

**150 families use our food pantry** No salt added canned vegetables and soups ; Canned fruits in juice ; Low sodium (salt) canned beans; fat-free refried beans; canned tuna or salmon; Canned chicken; Instant oatmeal (plain) or quick oats; Brown rice, quinoa, or bulgur; whole grain cereal (unsweetened); whole wheat pasta; Unsalted nuts;

## ROSARY SOCIETY

Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes **February 11**

Please join in the Novena of prayers for Peace beginning **February 2**. Prayers can be found at the back of the Church. Rosary to celebrate the Feast will be said on Saturday, **February 10 at 4.30 pm** in the Church.

**\*Please note** that the next meeting of the Rosary Society will be held on **February 6 at 6.30 pm** in the Parish meeting Room .All are invited

## FORMED

Go to [formed.org](http://formed.org) and enter your email and the Parish Code = 8X386F. Busque en [WWW.formed.org](http://WWW.formed.org). Ponga su e-mail y escriba el código de la parroquia 8X386F.

## FLOCKNOTES

Flocknotes is an easy way to stay connected with the Parish. You can text the message OLMCE to # 84576 or visit: [www.flocknote.com/OLMCElmsford](http://www.flocknote.com/OLMCElmsford).

## HOLY NAME SOCIETY

Monthly meetings are at **8:00 pm** in the Parish Meeting Room on the first Wednesday after the first Sunday of the month. *We do not meet during July and August.*

### Fourth Sunday of the Year B

**Deuteronomy 18:15-20** God will raise up a prophet like Moses from among the people and the prophet will do the will of God and announce God's word.

**I Corinthians 7: 32-35** St. Paul speaks of the virtues of both the single life and the married life.

**Mark 1: 21-28** The Lord teaches with an authority that differs significantly from that of the religious authorities. He teaches with the force of his example and truthfulness.

**Discussion Questions:** How do we bear witness to our faith by our words and actions?

**Comento:** Gesù è profeta perfetto in quanto è la Parola definitiva di Dio: il suo insegnamento è la lampada per i nostri passi nel cammino della vita. - G. Ravasi

**Comentario:** En donde Dios reina no puede reinar lo que no es Dios, no puede reinar lo que se se le opone, no puede reinar el mal. - A.V.Rechnitz Gonzales

## RELIGIOUS ED

Goals / Mission for Family Catechesis in OLMC Parish School and Religious Education Program:

-Family catechesis can be any combination model or method listed as long as it totals five hours.



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of  
NEW YORK

Is hosting a Prayer Vigil here in New York for all parishes of the Archdiocese to

come together to commemorate the 45<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Roe V. Wade St. Pope John Paul II has said that *"prayer is the most powerful force in human history!*" The prayer vigil will be at Saint Patrick Cathedral on **Sunday, January 21, 2018**, beginning with Holy Mass at 5:30 pm, followed by Adoration with music by sisters of Life.

## YOUTH MINISTRY SUNDAY

We are excited to announce High School "Youth

Ministry Sunday On January 14 we will address the importance of being a community that effectively reaches out to our adolescent members. We will share a vision of youth ministry that will encourage and challenge us all. It is our hope and prayer to begin the process of building an impacting ministry to youth. Join us for "Youth Ministry Sunday"

## SACRAMENTAL LITURGIES: ADULT BAPTISM

The Elect and the Candidates are regularly dismissed from the Masses they attend, particularly from the 11:00 Mass, they return at the end of the Mass and are outside the Church. It would be a wonderful opportunity for each member of the community to welcome them and encourage their journey in faith, after all they encourage us by their willingness to share their faith so publicly with us.

## FROM THE PASTOR GOSPEL OF MARK

We will meet twice a month; the times will be announced. The study will be based on the book *"Say to This Mountain" Mark's Story of Discipleship* by Chad Myers and team. The book is published by Orbis Press, 1996. It is available on line from Amazon, or as an e-book from Kindle and Nook. It is essentially a study guide of the gospel divided into 25 chapters. Those who wish to attend, please get a copy of the book and a Bible with you. Our next meeting will be Tuesday January 30, at 7:00 in the Parish Meeting Room we will be reading chapter 4 of *Say To This Mountain*.

## CATHOLIC SCHOOL WEEK

"Celebrating and sharing this news of Catholic education is vital to its success, and our teachers, who live and foster this experience daily, have the insight and opportunity to help market our schools to current and prospective families."

## OLMC SCHOOL

As we near the end of January, Mt. Carmel students are working hard on midterms. Students are studying and reviewing in and out of class to do their best. This upcoming Sunday is Mt. Carmel's Open House, where we welcome the opportunity to



showcase our school and what we are all about. You can check out our website [www.olmc.ws](http://www.olmc.ws) to find out more!