

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 30 & 31, 2010

This Week in our Parishes

Saturday, October 30th

4:00 pm, Mass - SAS (+Valentin Rocca)
7:00 pm, SMAC! Halloween Party – SAUH

Sunday, October 31st Ordinary 31

Second Collection – Special Parish Needs
7:00 am, Mass – SAS (L&D John & Viola Topper Family Members)
8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Chad Williams)
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 (+Helen Chelchowski)
6:30 pm, Y.M. Music Practice – OLMC

Monday, November 1st All Saints Day

Eat at Rocky's Day
8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Parishioners)
9:00 am, Mom's Group Mtg. - SASH
2:00 pm, Eucharistic Adoration – OLMC
7:00 pm, Blessed Mother Series - SASH
7:00 pm, AA Meeting – SAS Upper Hall

Tuesday, November 2nd All Souls Day

8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+All Souls Intentions)
8:30 am, Thurmont Ministerium Meeting
1:00 pm, Bring Your Own Craft – SAUH
7:00 pm, All Souls Mass – SAS (+All Souls Int.)
8:00 pm, Choir Practice – SAS
7:30 pm, Knights of Columbus Mtg. – OLMC

Wednesday, November 3rd

No Morning Mass
6:30 pm, Handbell Practice – OLMC
7:00 pm, RCIA – SAS Upper Hall

Thursday, November 4th

8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+All Souls Intentions)
6:30 pm, YOGA – SAS Upper Hall

Friday, November 5th

7:30 am, Morning Prayer - OLMC
8:00 am, Mass– OLMC (+All Souls Intentions)
7:15 pm, SMAC! Meeting – SASH

Saturday, November 6th

2:30 pm, Sacrament of Reconciliation - SAS
4:00 pm, Mass - SAS (L&D Parishioners)
5:00 pm, CTC Night – SAS Schoolhouse

Sunday, November 7th Ordinary 32

Second Collection – Buildings & Grounds
7:00 am, Mass – SAS (+All Souls Intentions)
8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+All Souls Intentions)
9:15 am, Religious Education Classes – TMS
9:30 am, Mass – SAS (+All Souls Intentions)
11:00 am, YM Mass–OLMC (+All Souls Intentions)

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time November 6 & 7

Scripture Readings for Mass

First Reading ~ 2 Maccabees 7:1-2,9-14/156
Responsorial ~ Ps. 17:1,5-6,8,15
Second Reading ~ 2 Thessalonians 2:16-3:5
Gospel ~ Luke 20:27-38

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:

*Ray and Louise Horst Anna Little
Justine Mayer*

Also, please remember the following parishioners in prayer:

<i>JoAnn Cannada</i>	<i>Kathleen Cekic</i>
<i>Kathy Cogan</i>	<i>Dick Cool</i>
<i>Grace Crotts</i>	<i>Denise Ferguson</i>
<i>John Fink</i>	<i>Brian Gebhart</i>
<i>Jimmy Glass</i>	<i>Doris Glass</i>
<i>Jamie Hill</i>	<i>Mary Jack</i>
<i>Lloydann Kauffman</i>	<i>Jeanette Massena</i>
<i>Rosemary McDermott</i>	<i>Dolores Munafio</i>
<i>Tony Newman</i>	<i>Helen Reaver</i>
<i>Mary Reckley</i>	<i>Elfrieda Ridenour</i>
<i>Diane Shockey</i>	<i>Francis Smith</i>
<i>Margaret Smith</i>	<i>Robert Smith</i>
<i>Carroll Wivell</i>	<i>Joe Wivell, Sr.</i>
<i>Lorraine Wivell</i>	



For Prayer Requests

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



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 14, at 1 pm** at **Our Lady of Mount 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.

St. John's Catholic Prep Open House

Sunday, November 7, 1:00 - 3:00 pm

There will be tours of the campus and an area in the gym where you can meet with faculty and co-curricular representatives. Admissions and financial assistance information will be available. Saint John's is a Catholic, coeducational, college preparatory high school located at 889 Butterfly Lane in Frederick, Maryland. Prospective parents and students can also visit Saint John's online at www.saintjohnsprep.org. For more information about admissions or the Open House, please call the school at 301-662-4210 or e-mail admissions@saintjohnsprep.org

Thurmont Walk for

Hunger and Human Needs

Sunday, November 7, 1:30 pm

The 10th Annual Walk is being coordinated by Graceham Moravian Church in conjunction with The Thurmont Ministerium. The Walk begins and ends at the Thurmont Senior Citizens Center at East Main Street. 50% of the funds raised will be given to the Thurmont Food Bank and 50% to the Thurmont Ministerium. For additional information, call Pastor Jeff Gehris or Joanne Fuss, DCE at (301) 271-2379.

S A M C Youth Ministry News

Halloween Party – Saturday, Oct 30, 7:00 – 9:30 pm in SAS Upper Hall. Come in costume!

SMAC Meeting - Friday, Nov 5, 7:15 - 8:45 pm in the old Schoolhouse at St. Anthony's. All 6th, 7th and 8th grade parishioners are invited. Don't miss the fun, food and friends!

For information call Mike Miller at (301) 271-9871.

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 practices are scheduled for:

November 14 & 21.

A Pizza social will follow the practices.

Peace & Social Justice Committee

an education and action ministry

November

24th Casseroles for FRM due date

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

ConnecTeen Catholics (CTC)

Hershey Park in the Dark – Sunday, October 31

Scary fun for all. Leave SAS at 1:00 pm and return at 10pm. \$25 and permission slip due to Lori by Sunday, 10/24. Adult drivers and chaperones needed.

CTC Night - Saturday, November 6, 5 to 8 pm

Join us at SAS Schoolhouse after 4:00 Mass for Food, Fun, Faith and Friends! Girls bring drinks, guys bring desserts.

For information on High School Youth Ministry

Events or to volunteer contact:

Lori Carter (301) 271-4050 kpltcarter@comcast.net.



Workcamp 2011

Workcamp is a week-long service trip where parish teens will join other high school students to repair the homes of the poor and needy. Workcamp will be

held in Winchester, VA from June 25 to July 1, 2011. Deposits are needed ASAP. Available slots will fill up soon. Questions? Contact Mike Miller (301) 271-9871, Lori Carter (301) 271-4050 or Deacon John Hawkins (301) 271-2194.

Preparing for Advent

Pilgrimage to "Franciscan Monastery of the Holy Land in America"

Saturday, November 20, leave OLMC at 1:00 pm and return approximately 9:00 pm.

Cost: \$5.00 Transportation and dinner included.

The Pilgrimage will be for OLMC/SAS high school students and their families and will include a tour and liturgy celebrated with Rev. Bro. Benedict (Jeff) Jurchak, TOR. **Permission slips** are available in the back of church and the parish office and must be returned to parish office by **Monday, November 15**. If you have any questions, contact Lori Carter.



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 all the loved ones we have lost. A special Mass will be celebrated at St. Anthony's at 7 PM on All Souls Day, Tuesday, November 2nd, 2010, during which those who had their funeral at one of our parishes during this past year 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.

Daylight Saving Time Ends

Remember to "fall back" on **Saturday, November 6**, and set your clocks back one hour

Lectors

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



Knights of Columbus

The local Knights of Columbus thank all who participated in their car raffle fund raiser this year! The winner, Mrs Bernie Weis, of this year's raffle is a parishioner from St Peter the Apostle Parish in Libertytown!



**Support
Saint Anthony Shrine &
Our Lady of Mount Carmel
Parishes by eating at Rocky's!**

**Bring this coupon to
Rocky's NY Pizza & Restaurant
(301-271-7181) on Tippin Drive
the first Monday of each month.
Rocky's will donate 15% of all sales
with the coupon to our parishes.**

**Eat at the restaurant, carry-out,
or have it delivered.
Have fun & support the parish!**

Mark Your Calendars

- Nov 2 – Bring Your Own Craft – SAUH
- Nov 2 – All Souls Mass – 7:00 pm SAS
- Nov 13 – Cash Bash – 3-8 pm OLMC
- Nov 14 – Baptismal Prep Session – 1 pm OLMC
- Nov 16 – KofC Social Night – 6:30 pm OLMC
- Nov 23 – Pastoral Council Mtg. – 7 pm SAS
- Nov 24 – Thanksgiving Eve Mass – 7 pm SAS

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.

October's Poor Box Allocations

The following charities received contributions from our poor boxes this month:

Catholic Charities	\$100.00
Religious Coalition for Emergency Human Needs	\$25.00
Seton Center	\$400.00
Thurmont Food Bank	\$75.00
Up County Family Support	<u>\$100.00</u>
Total Donations for October	\$700.00

FINANCIAL REPORT

Weekend of October 23 & 24, 2010

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

Attendance		175
Envelopes	(64)	1,453.00
Loose		532.35
Total		1,985.35
Poor Box		159.00

St. Anthony Shrine

Attendance		433
Envelopes	(81)	2,202.00
Loose		726.31
Total		2,928.31
Poor Box		148.32

From Barbara . . .

We exist because of God's love. If God once forgot to love us, we would cease to exist. But of course, God won't forget because he's God. God is love. We can never repay that love but we are called to glorify the Lord by our very existence. All that we have is from God and we must use all that we have for the greater glory and honor of God. Take time this week to be aware of how you bring glory to God by your very existence.

We all have to make choices between good things. There are many things happening in our world and on our schedules that seem to make it difficult to choose. But as adults, we must model for our children the fact that we can't do it all. When making a choice to play on a sports team, or be part of a performance group, or prepare to receive a sacrament we have to set our priorities for a period of time and then stick to them. Please be aware that religious education, sacramental preparation, RCIA, liturgical ministry, and parish leadership positions are all choices that each of us make. We as a parish hope that when you make these commitments, you realize the importance of making them a priority in your life for the period of time that it takes to complete the process or for a certain term. The parish relies on the person that makes the commitment and then suffers when there is no follow-through. There have been a lot of missed ministry assignments by adults and young people missing RE or sacramental prep sessions. Please consider all of your commitments when making them. We are not able to give glory to God if we don't fully commitment in our responsibilities.

Thank you so much for your generosity in contributing to our fall benefits. The items that are donated help us to increase the profits of our fundraisers. We have asked a lot of you this fall. If you can contribute by taking a plate when we request it, that's wonderful. If you can't then don't feel that you have to. Each contribution helps. What isn't donated we have to purchase. Again, thank you for all that you give to our parishes.

May God continue to bless us all.

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Cash Bash

Saturday, November 13, 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
(No one under 18 can play the games)
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.

Maryland Catholic Conference

Learn, Pray, Vote: Primary Election this Tuesday, November 2. This Tuesday is Maryland's general election. It includes races for governor, U.S. House and Senate, and the Maryland General Assembly. Candidate surveys are available at the back of church and more information may be found in the Catholic Review. Learn about the issues, pray for guidance, and vote on Tuesday. Learn more about the candidates and key issues on the website of the Maryland Catholic Conference at www.mdathcon.org/elections.

Adult Faith Formation

Total Consecration to Mary

Fr. Frederick Miller and the Legion of Mary at Mount St. Mary's Seminary will be giving a series of talks about the Blessed Mother. They will also provide the necessary instruction to those interested in preparing for the Total Consecration to Mary according to St. Louis Marie de Montfort. Come to St. Anthony Schoolhouse at 7 pm on the dates indicated below to learn more about your spiritual mother. True Devotion to Mary books will be available for purchase (\$5.00).




Monday, Nov. 1
Monday, Nov. 8
Monday, Nov. 15
Monday, Nov. 22
Monday, Nov. 29

Wednesday, Dec. 8 (Total Consecration to Mary at MSM's Seminary chapel)

Help 4 Homeless

November is Homeless Awareness Month, and as their graduation project, the senior Honors English class of **Fairfield Area High School** will be holding a **sleep out** on their football field on **November 12**. There will be programming, activities, and simulations throughout the night to better understand what it means to be homeless. The event, Help 4 Homeless, will go from 8:00 pm on Friday the 12th to 6:00 am on Saturday the 13th, and the proceeds will benefit the South Central Community Action Program (SCCAP) in Gettysburg. All high school students are invited, and **permission slips are available** at the **SAS/OLMC parish office** and must be **returned to Fairfield Area High School by November 5th**. Please email us at help4homeless@ymail.com or ask for Siri Phelps at Fairfield Area High School at (717) 642-2004 for more information.



Shroud Encounter will be coming to **Mount Saint Mary's University** on **Thursday, Nov 11th at 7:00 PM**. Shroud Encounter is a production of *Shroud of Turin Education Project, Inc.* and will be presented by renowned international expert Russ Breault. The presentation is a fast moving, big-screen experience using over 150 images covering all aspects of Shroud research. This highly acclaimed 90-minute multi-media presentation will be held in **Knott Auditorium**. Admission is free and open to the public.

National Shrine of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Emmitsburg, MD

“Back from the Dead Cemetery Walk - Teaching the faith in the cemetery.” Sunday, October 31.

For ages 14 and up. An encounter with saints and others telling their stories about “the Last Things” and the afterlife. This is an evangelization drama based on scripture and the living tradition of the saints. Continual tours beginning at 7:00 p.m. Come early! Dress warmly and wear comfortable shoes. Cookies and hot chocolate afterwards. Meet at the entrance to the Shrine Museum/Visitor Center.

In case of rain, please check our website that day for cancellation notice posted by 3:00 pm at www.setonshrine.org. No fee.

“Organ and Oreos”

Saturday, November 13, 2:00 – 3:30 pm

For children ages 6 – 10 accompanied by an adult. After a brief presentation in the Shrine theatre, Dr. Elizabeth Krouse will show the children the ins and outs of the pipe organ. Free. Please RSVP to Kirsten Hubbard at (301) 447-7080.

“Organ Concert in the Basilica”

Sunday, November 21, 3:30 pm

Dr. Elizabeth Krouse will perform from the Clavierbung III, The “Organ Mass” by Johann Sebastian Bach. Free will offering will benefit the Organ Restoration Project.

Retreats and Pilgrimage Opportunities

with **Fr. Leo Patalinghug** and **Grace Before Meals:**
Napa Valley Retreat June 5-10, 2011 focusing on the transubstantiation of wine and the transformation of culture. **Mediterranean Culinary Cruise May 14-21, 2011** Great experiences integrating food, wine, our Catholic Faith and incredible fun. *For brochures, the low costs pricing, and registration forms go to www.gracebeforemeals.com or call Corporate Travel @ 1-800-727-1999 x 158, 116 or 171.*

Baltimore Basilica's

Third Annual Bull & Oyster Roast

Sunday, November 21, 1:00 – 5:00 pm

Martin's East (9000 Pulaski Highway)

Includes a **silent auction, wheels**, and more. Music provided by DJ Delights. **Menu includes** pit beef, ham, oysters, clams on the half shell, hot and cold buffets, beer, soda. **Proceeds benefit** the Basilica Parish. **Tickets** are \$40; tables of 10 available for \$400. For tickets, make checks payable to **‘Basilica Historic Trust’** and mail to: Basilica Historic Trust, Bull Roast Tickets, 409 Cathedral St., Baltimore, MD 21201. For more info, call (410) 727-3565 x8 or x12, or visit www.baltimorebasilica.org.