

# 28<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 10 & 11, 2009

## This Week in our Parishes

### Saturday, October 10<sup>th</sup>

8:00 am, OLMC Food Stand– Thurmont Town Park  
8:00 am, SAS Yard/Bake Sale - SAS Pavilion  
4:00 pm, Mass– SAS (+Mark, John & Johnny Carson)

### Sunday, October 11<sup>th</sup> Ordinary 28

Second Collection – Propagation of the Faith  
7:00 am, Mass–SAS (+Kathy Clabaugh & Regina Shields)  
8:00 am, Mass–OLMC (L&D Parishioners)  
9:30 am, Mass – SAS (L&D San Lwin Family)  
11:00 am, Mass Canceled - Colorfest Weekend  
3:00 pm, Boy Scouts (Tigers) – SAS Schoolhouse

### Monday, October 12<sup>th</sup>

Parish Office Closed  
8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Jordan Carr)  
No Mom's Group Mtg. this week  
No Eucharistic Adoration this week

### Tuesday, October 13<sup>th</sup>

8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (Int. Malia Kaiser)  
9:15 pm, Staff Meeting – SAS  
7:00 pm, Corporators' Meeting - SAS

### Wednesday, October 14<sup>th</sup>

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

### Thursday, October 15<sup>th</sup>

8:00 am, Mass – OLMC (+Braxton Carr)  
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 16<sup>th</sup>

7:30 am, Morning Prayers – OLMC  
8:00 am, Mass– OLMC (+Kenneth Clabaugh)

### Saturday, October 17<sup>th</sup>

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

### Sunday, October 18<sup>th</sup> 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

### 29<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time October 17 & 18

#### Scripture Readings for Mass

**First Reading** ~ Isaiah 53:10-11/146  
**Responsorial** ~ Ps. 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22  
**Second Reading** ~ Hebrews 4:14-16  
**Gospel** ~ Mark 10:35-45

## 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.

Also, please remember the following parishioners in prayer:

<i>Francis Bittle</i>	<i>Dorothy Burkard</i>
<i>JoAnn Cannada</i>	<i>Dick Cool</i>
<i>Grace Crotts</i>	<i>Jack Dillon</i>
<i>Joan Fink</i>	<i>Ethel Fitzgerald</i>
<i>Doris Glass</i>	<i>Daniel Hartke</i>
<i>Ray Horst</i>	<i>Bob Kaas</i>
<i>Peggy Kauffman</i>	<i>Michelle Keegin</i>
<i>Jeanette Massena</i>	<i>Bob Maze</i>
<i>Rosemary McDermott</i>	<i>Karen Mills</i>
<i>Dolores Munafo</i>	<i>Tony Newman</i>
<i>Rita Priest</i>	<i>Charles Putman</i>
<i>Mary Reckley</i>	<i>Elfriede Ridenour</i>
<i>Francis Smith</i>	<i>Margaret Smith</i>
<i>Robert Smith</i>	<i>Carroll Wivell</i>
<i>Lorraine Wivell</i>	



## 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](mailto:kpltcarter@comcast.net)

## S M A C Youth Ministry News

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

- 13<sup>th</sup>** Prayer vigil at Frederick abortion clinic from 9:00 am to 11:00 am  
**31<sup>st</sup>** 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](mailto:JHawkins@archbalt.org).*

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

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## Delone Catholic High School

The DCHS Alumni Association will be sponsoring **Alumni HOMECOMING weekend, Oct. 16, 17 and 18**. We will start off on Oct.16 at 5:30 pm with a tailgate party at the football game. Delone will be playing against Littlestown. A tour of the school will be given at 6:00 pm. On October 17 at 10:00 am, a golf tournament at Meadowbrook Golf Course in Gettysburg, PA. Only \$40.00 per person, four person scramble format. Includes food, beverages and prizes. Entries due October 5th. Then on Oct. 18, the 2nd Annual Communion Mass and Breakfast will be held in the old gym at Delone Catholic High School. Breakfast tickets are \$10.00 for adult and \$5.00 for Children (5-10). RSVP by October 9th for the breakfast. Please call Delone Catholic High School, Development and Alumni Relations office for more information (717) 637-5969.



## 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.

## OLMC Food Stand

Thurmont Town Park Pavilion

**Colorfest weekend – October 10 & 11.**

**Saturday and Sunday 6:00 am – 6:00 pm** Park

**Clean up on Sunday 5:00 pm** Park

*Stop by for some great food or to lend a hand.*

## Family Finances Workshop

**Saturday, October 17, 9:30 am until noon**

**St. Timothy's in Walkersville, MD.**

*Begins with a continental breakfast.*

Free information for all people in our community (they do not need to be parishioners): Featuring Speakers on the following topics:

- Getting information and help from community and government sources,
- Understanding the pros and cons of different mortgage packages,
- Budgeting and cash flow management.

To register and to let us know if you would like to have the free continental breakfast, please contact the parish office at 301-845-8043, ext. 2 (please ask for Lynn), or [adminasst@stimothis.org](mailto:adminasst@stimothis.org). Non-parishioners are welcome.

## Mark Your Calendars

- **Oct 10-11**—OLMC Food Stand – 8am Town Park
- **Oct 13** – Corporator's Mtg. – 7 pm SAS
- **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 <sup>st</sup> drawing	\$400
2 <sup>nd</sup> drawing	\$300
3 <sup>rd</sup> drawing	\$200
4 <sup>th</sup> 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.*

***All tickets sold and returned by 4:30 pm, October 14<sup>th</sup>, will be eligible for the \$100.00 Early Bird Drawing – to be held that day!***

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.



### Did you know:

There is a yard sale on the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays of the month from May-Oct. at St. Anthony. You can rent a space if you have things to sell or wander around if you're looking for bargains. There's a concession stand with egg sandwiches, hamburgers, pulled pork, etc. The food is "heavenly!" Call Leo at 240-529-2737 if you want to reserve a spot for \$10.



A special event will be held on Sunday, **October 18** with **The Home Comfort Band** playing bluegrass music from 1:30 – 3:30 pm. Come join us even if you don't want to buy or sell anything.

## From Barbara . . .

Jesus sounds awfully harsh in today's Gospel: sell all you have and give to the poor; give up your family for the sake of the gospel; how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God. Being a faithful person is difficult. Each of us must live our lives according to our Catholic beliefs and sometimes in today's culture that can be near impossible. But Jesus tells us, "All things are possible with God." In the book of Wisdom we find that there are countless riches at the hands of the Spirit of Wisdom. Nothing is in comparison to her. Our faith challenges us to always seek God's wisdom for then all things are possible. Take time this week to notice the things that you have given up because you felt they were impossible and ask for God's wisdom to live as a faithful person.

I've been noticing how much noise occurs when we move the kneelers up and down at St. Anthony's. It echoes throughout the church because of the way the church is built and it seems to get louder each week. Please try to move the kneeler quietly and place it where you want it. Don't let it drop to the floor when putting it down or on the stopper when putting it up. I know there's going to be some noise and mistakes happen, but if we all work together and are more careful when moving the kneelers we can make it a much quieter time. Thanks in advance for your cooperation.

May God continue to bless us all.

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### *All Souls' Day Mass*

*All parishioners are invited to a special celebration of the life and death of our friends and family members. A special Mass will be celebrated at St. Anthony's at 7 P.M. on All Souls Day, Monday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2009.*



*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. Special remembrance will be made for those whose funerals were held at SAS/OLMC in the past year. 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 in the upper hall.*

## 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 3 & 4, 2009

##### Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

Attendance		196
Envelopes	(87)	2,428.00
Loose		375.05
Total		2,803.05
Poor Box		43.49
Buildings/Grounds September		914.00

##### St. Anthony Shrine

Attendance		347
Envelopes	(76)	2,257.00
Loose		829.00
Total		3,086.00
Poor Box		237.13
Buildings/Grounds September		1,373.95